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IN ABSOLUTE CONTROL.

Pierpont Morgan to Assume the Lehigh Valley Management.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The Journal and Advertiser says: J. Pierpont Morgan will shortly assume the real management of the Lehigh Valley railroad. Recently, when the Lehigh was in difficulty, Philadelphia capital, mostly, came to its aid, the large Packer estate shouldering most of the responsibility. This estate, in its turn, became involved in a way, and Mr. Morgan, representing the numerous English stockholders, obtained an option on all the Packer holdings. This has given him an absolute control of the road.

TROLLEY CARS HELD UP.

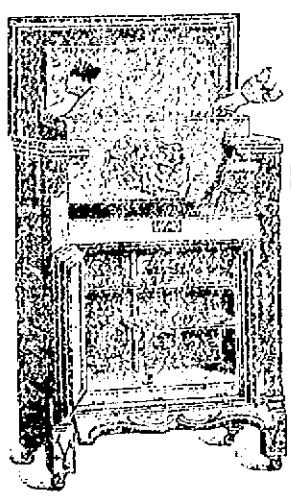
Conductors, Motormen and Passengers Robbed in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 9.—Three highwaymen armed with revolvers held up a trolley car on the Cicero & Proviso line last night, and robbed the conductor, motorman and the passengers of their watches and money. They secured several silver watches, three gold watches and about $100 in money. They escaped without being pursued. The robbery took place just outside of the city limits.

Within an hour after the hold-up in Cicero five highwaymen boarded an Archer avenue electric car at Thirty-eighth street and Kedzie avenue, and, after covering the motorman and conductor with revolvers, secured $70, a watch and a revolver. The robbers all wore masks, and did their work so quickly that after they had disappeared the motorman and conductor were unable to give a description of them.

Rhode Island Pensions.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Original, George F. Watson, Cranston; Francis Tifft, Lakewood. Additional (special June 29)—Charles W. Bills, Wickford.



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WANT AN EXRLICIT REPLY.

Ambassadors Instructed to Repeat Their Demands Upon Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 9.—The ambassadors of the powers have been reinstructed by their respective governments regarding the despatch of another note to the Turkish government, reiterating their demand for an explicit reply on the Greco-Turkish frontier question. It is thought probable that they may recommend their governments to recall them and organize a naval demonstration, pointing out the futility of sending notes which fail to impress the Porte, urging that a demonstration is necessary to compel Turkey to yield, and hinting that otherwise progress towards the conclusion of peace is not expected.

The Turkish Dardanelles squadron has been ordered to make ready to proceed to the island of Crete and to take on board provisions for three months. The irade also orders all the officers of that squadron to rejoin their ships within three days.

Saadi Bey has been appointed mutessarif of Crete, Asiatic Turkey. As he is suspected of Young Turkey affiliations, this is tantamount to sending him into exile.

ALL WELL ON BOARD.

Disabled Steamer Spree Turned Into Queenstown by the Maine.

QUEENSTOWN, July 9.—North German Lloyd steamer Spree, Captain Meier, which sailed from New York June 26 for Bremen, viz Cherbourg, and which should have arrived here July 4, reached here today in tow of British steamer Maine, from Philadelphia for London. All the Spree's passengers and crew are well.

The delay was caused by the cracking of her crank shaft July 2, when about five hundred and fifty miles west of the coast of Ireland. The sea was calm at the time of the accident, and the Spree drifted until 8:30 p. m. July 5, when the Maine hove in sight and steamed close to the North German Lloyd vessel. The captain of the Spree sent one of his boats to the Maine, and arrangements were made to tow the disabled steamer to this port. There was no excitement at any time among the passengers and the latter enjoyed themselves as best they could under the circumstances. The passengers will be landed here and forwarded by special trains and boats to their Continental destinations.

Australian Delegates to the World's Temperance Convention.

CHICAGO, July 9.—The National Women's Christian Temperance Union is in receipt of news that the Australian national society has elected Lady Windeyer, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Ardell and Misses Vincent, Cumming and Waldock delegates to the world's convention to be held in Toronto in October. Word has been received from Miss Bolston, daughter of the famous novelist, that she cannot be in attendance at the Toronto convention.

The fraternal delegates from the railroad brotherhoods who expect to attend the Pennsylvania state convention at Williamsport, Penn., this fall, will also be invited to be present at the world's and national conventions.

JAPAN'S CLAIMS DENIED.

Her "Vital Interests" in Hawaii Pronounced "Arrogance With a Vengeance."

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Advices by steamer City of Pekin, just arrived from the Orient, say: The Japanese Times of recent date devotes a long article to a discussion of the annexation situation, over which the entire Japanese press is greatly wrought up. The premise of the argument in this paper, as represented by the Hawaiian Star, is that Japan has no territorial interest in the Hawaiian islands. Speaking of the signing of the annexation treaty, it says: "Whatever may have been the cause, it is to be deeply regretted that the step has been taken without consulting the views of Japan, which is next to America most vitally interested in the status of the Hawaiian islands." This, the Hawaiian Star considers as "arrogance with a vengeance" and says: "We have employed Japanese as laborers, but that does not give Japan any 'vital interest' in the islands. This is a country of Anglo-Saxon civilization, not of Asiatic. Its laws, its religion, its tone of thought is Anglo-Saxon. Its affinities are with the United States and one fails to see what 'vital interests' Japan has here."

Death of the Richest Woman in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 9.—Mrs. Julie Maffitt, a pioneer of St. Louis and the richest woman in the city, aged eighty-one years, died today. Mrs. Maffitt's grandfather, Pierre Chouteau, Sr., was one of the original members of the American fur company and from 1789 to 1801 spent his time in the western woods trading with the Indians. His company prospered so rapidly from his perilous work that he retired wealthy in 1801 and accepted an appointment from President Jefferson as the agent for all Indians west of the Mississippi river.

In Collision Off Fort Delaware.

NEWCASTLE, Del., July 9.—Schooner Annie L. Russell of Wilmington, Del., and barge Schuylkill, in tow of tug Tamaqua, were in collision off Fort Delaware this morning. A seaman named Joseph Crampfield was drowned. The Russell had her stern stove in and was towed here and beached by the Tamaqua.

Atlantic Yacht Fleet Sails from Black Rock.

BLACK ROCK, Conn., July 9.—The vessels comprising the cruising squadron of the Atlantic Yacht Club, which anchored off the clubhouse of the Bridgeport Yacht Club here last night, got under way this morning in good season, continuing their cruise eastward.

Second Edition.

BRIGHT AND COOL.

Endeavorers Greeted With Beautiful Weather.

One Thousand More Delegates Still on the Way.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The second day of the Christian Endeavor convention opened bright and pleasant. In fact, the weather has been beautiful every day since the visitors began to arrive. The visiting Easterners are congratulating themselves upon escaping the torrid wave now sweeping through the Central and Eastern states. It is noticeable that the many who came to town wearing their thinnest summer clothing have taken on more substantial protection against the cool breezes from the Pacific. But they are having a glorious time, and the pleasant weather is especially pleasing to those who have endured the extreme heat all the way across the continent.

Long before the hour for calling the meetings to order in Mechanics' and Woodward's pavilions, crowds filled every available space in the big buildings. The delegates were even more enthusiastic than on the first day of the convention, nearly all having had sufficient time to recover from the fatigue of a long journey and the more or less discomfort of a railway trip. The thousands of lady delegates, in striking toilets, and wearing badges and ribbons of bright colors, looked fresh and happy, and when the song service was announced at the opening of the meetings they responded with a will.

Secretary Baer is elated at the success of the meeting, and says no convention has ever had such a meeting place. There are vast auditoriums; but never under one roof, as city itself, has there been a better-arranged place for registration, rest and conversation. Fine California fruits and flowers have been artistically arranged in numerous booths in the pavilion, and each delegate is invited to sample the fruit and carry away a pamphlet reciting the resources of each county in California.

Just as the Southern Pacific officials were congratulating themselves that they would land all the excursion trains in this city by sundown this evening, their joy was changed to sorrow by a despatch from the Salt Lake superintendent. In his telegram that officer said he had been apprised that one thousand more passengers, of whom he had had no notification from connecting lines, would be turned over to the Southern Pacific. The total number of registrations at headquarters this morning is announced as nearly twenty thousand, of whom about seven thousand are from California.

Today's Program.

Today's convention program is as follows:

Early morning prayer meetings in the following churches: First Baptist, First Congregational, Starr King, African Methodist Episcopal Zion, First Presbyterian, West Side Christian, Westminster Presbyterian, Third Congregational and Grace Methodist Episcopal of this city and the First Congregational at Oakland.

Daily hour for Bible study—Central Methodist Episcopal Church.

Convention in Mechanics' Pavilion—9:30, praise service; 9:45, devotional exercises; 9:50, addresses; 10:30, singing; 10:35, addresses; 11:25, Chinese quartet. Noon, adjournment.

Convention in Woodward's Pavilion, 9:30—Praise service, devotional exercises, addresses, open parliament, singing, addresses, open parliament, addresses; noon, adjournment.

Mothers' Meeting, First United Presbyterian Church.

Evangelistic meetings in Young Men's Christian Association auditorium, Chamber of Commerce, Emporium and Palace Hotel, at noon.

Outdoor meetings in Portsmouth square, Washington square, Union square, Jefferson square, Hamilton square, Columbia square, Water front, Union Iron Works, Chapel Car, Emanuel, Fourth and Townsend streets, Hall of Records, South Side.

Committee conferences at various churches, 2 to 4.

Officers' conferences at various churches, 3:30 to 5:30.

Pastors' conferences at Odd Fellows' Hall, 3:30 to 5:30.

Daily quiet hour, Calvary Presbyterian Church, 3:30 to 5:30.

Mechanics' Pavilion—7:30 p. m. praise service, 7:50, devotional; 7:55, informal symposium; 8:30, singing; 9, addresses; 9:30, adjournment.

Woodward's Pavilion, 7:30—Praise service, devotional, address, singing, presentations of banners, singing, addresses; 9:30, adjournment.

BADLY WRECKED.

Freight Train Broke Apart and Came Together with a Crash.

WOONSOCKET, July 9.—A south bound extra freight, No. 383, broke apart about 12:30 o'clock this morning while running through the gravel pit at Saunderville on the Consolidated, about ten miles south of Worcester. The two divisions of the train came together with a tremendous crash on a down grade, derailing seven cars. One box car, containing woolen waste and plumbers' supplies, was smashed into smithereens. The other cars were only slightly damaged. The south bound track was ripped up for a distance of several hundred feet. A brakeman named Bartlett, of Providence, was pitched from the top of a car, and considerably shaken up and bruised. He was able to walk about and is not thought to be seriously injured. Both tracks were blocked by heaps of debris strewn along for quite a distance. Word was telegraphed to Providence and a wrecking train was despatched to the scene. It stopped at Rockville to take on Postmaster Torr. The northbound track was cleared at 5:30 this morning, and the other track an hour later. Two hundred and fifty new ties had to be put in.

McKinley to Go to Lake Champlain.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—President McKinley will spend most of his summer vacation on the shores of Lake Champlain. He will leave Washington August 1 and go direct to Lake Champlain, Plattsburg, Vt., which is his nearest town. His party will consist of the members of the Presidential family, of Vice President and Mrs. Hobart, Secretary Alger and family, Secretary and Mrs. Porter and probably several other members of official society.

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DURRANT'S REPRIEVE EXPIRED.

But His Appeal to the Supreme Court Saves His Neck.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—The reprieve granted Theodore Durrant by Governor Budd expires today, but the murderer of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams is in no danger of hanging. It does not matter whether Governor Budd grants a further reprieve or not, as the granting of an appeal by the United States circuit court to the supreme court of the United States takes all power out of the state officials' hands until the highest federal court renders a decision in the case.

HOT IN BOSTON.

Thermometer Above Ninety, and Two Prostrations Already.

BOSTON, July 9.—The hot wave began to be felt in this city early this week, and did not abate today, and according to the weather officials it is not likely to do so within a day or two at least. At noon the thermometer of the weather bureau showed a record of 93 degrees. This is warmer than it has been before since Tuesday, and the weather man says the mercury is likely to go higher before night. On the streets the temperature was 93 at noon. The excessive humidity, which added greatly to the discomfort of the temperature yesterday and the day before, was nearly normal today. Two prostrations from the heat were reported at the hospitals and by the police up to noon. Neither case, however, was serious.

Mayor Ashley's Condition.

NEW BEDFORD, July 9.—Mayor Ashley remains today in much the same condition, a symptom which the physician regards as very favorable at this stage. The mayor passed an uncomfortable night, but it could not be seen that his strength was greatly exhausted. His injuries still cause his friends great concern, though it is hoped that Mr. Ashley will pull through, unless there are unforseen complications.

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60 White Duck Sailor Suits at $1.25, White Duck Knee Pants 25c, 42c., 50c. and 75c.

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Wrappers. Another lot of Lawn Wrappers in light shades. Regular value 69c.; for Saturday and Monday at **48c.** each.

25 dozen gingham aprons. Regular price 10c; for Saturday and Monday, **5c.** each.

5 dozen Infants' Cambric Slips, with Hamburg trimmed yoke. Regular value 33c.; for Saturday and Monday, **19c.** each.

10 dozen Ladies' Muslin Drawers, with deep ruffle of embroidery. Regular value 62c. for Saturday and Monday, **48c.** a pair.

6 dozen Ladies' Night Gowns, of good cotton, with Hamburg trimmed yoke, full length and all sizes. Regular value 59c.; for Saturday and Monday, **42c.** each.

15 pieces Silesia and Percaline Lining, in all the leading shades. Regular price 12 1-2 c. for Saturday and Monday, **8c.** per yard.

25 dozen Ladies' Black Seamless Hose. An excellent 12 1-2c. quality; for Saturday and Monday, **8c.** a pair.

40 dozen Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, Cromsdorf dye, with double soles and heels. Regular value 25c.; for Saturday and Monday, **17c.** a pair.

30 dozen Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, fine gauge, fast black, spliced heel and toes. Regular price 19c.; for Saturday and Monday **15c.** a pair.

18 dozen Men's Black Fine Cotton Hose, of real Maco yarn, with double soles. Very good value at 25c.; for Saturday and Monday, **17c.** a pair.

5 dozen all Linen Hemstitched Damask Tray Cloths. Extra good value at 25c.; for Saturday and Monday, **19c** each.

50 dozen Hemstitched Pillow Cases, full size and made of good cotton. Regular price 12 1-2c.; for Saturday and Monday **10c.** each.

20 dozen Pillow Cases, size 45x36, of excellent quality cotton. Regular price 12 1-2 cents; for Saturday and Monday **9c.** each.

10 dozen Sheets, size 81x90, of very good cotton. Regular value 47c.; for Saturday and Monday, **39c.** each.

15 doz. Men's Gauze Shirts and Drawers, in various shades and all sizes. Regular value 33c.; for Saturday and Monday, **19c.** each.

200 boxes of Linen Paper and Envelopes, Standard 20c. kind; for Saturday and Monday, **15c.** a box.

18 dozen Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, full size. Regular value 25c.; for Saturday and Monday, **19c.** each.

50 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in a large variety of pretty designs. Regular value from 12 1-2c. to 19c.; for Saturday and Monday, **9c.** each.

20 dozen Kid Gloves, embroidered back, in all shades, with 4 buttons or with Foster lacing, a perfectly reliable make. Regular value 98c.; for Saturday and Monday, **78c.** a pair.

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One carved Rosewood Chair, at $45; reduced from $30.
One Oak Cabinet, with French mirrors, at $20.
One Florentine Mirror at $10 only.
One Carved, very choice English Bookcase at $75; worth $200.
One Inlaid Dressing Mirror, solid mahogany frame, at $45 only.
One very exquisite Chair, inlaid, at $45; worth $100.
One very exquisite Chiffonier, French, at $15 only.
Two solid Mahogany French Chairs, at $1.50 only.
One Bamboo Cabinet at $10. One Bamboo Chair at $6.
One Maple Shaving Stand, exquisite, only $12.

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This Morning's News.

VICTORIA'S BLINDNESS.

Guarded Statement of the London Lancet.

NEW YORK, July 7.—A cable despatch from London to the Sun says: The Lancet, the well known medical journal, will this week make the first semi-official announcement in England in regard to the queen's eyesight. It will be a mild statement, designed, apparently, to conceal more than it will reveal of the serious nature of her infirmity.

The first news concerning the queen's sight was based on statements made by two eminent physicians who had been consulted in Her Majesty's case. One described her condition, as then stated, "as almost totally blind." The second confirmed this statement, and ascribed the cause to gouty condition of the blood. He said that he could offer no hope of cure or escape from further progress of the affliction.

Further information received within the past few days from several persons who have been personally associated with the queen, at Balmoral has been of the same general tenor. One described the condition of the queen's eyesight as follows: "Her Majesty is now unable to recognize objects more than two feet from her eyes. Even at that distance her sight is extremely feeble. She is no longer able to read, and with great difficulty signs occasional documents."

This is probably a correct description of the extent which the disability has already reached.

The deterioration of her vision causes the queen some inconvenience, but does not prevent her from discharging her multifarious and onerous duties.

CHANCES OF THE TARIFF BILL.

Will Remain in Conference from Four or Five to Ten Days.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The first meeting of the House and Senate conferees on the tariff bill, which resulted in a more informal interchange of views, was heralded by loud trumpetings from both camps to the effect that the representatives of each would maintain an absolutely unyielding attitude. This spirit was manifested in a more diplomatic manner in two separate conversations which Mr. Dingley and Senator Aldrich had with President McKinley. The former assured his chief that if the Senate would meet the House half way in a spirit of fair and friendly compromise the conferees would have no difficulty in reaching an agreement in a few days. Senator Aldrich, entering the President's sanctum shortly after the chairman of the ways and means committee had left it, assured Mr. McKinley that if the representatives of the House would only be tractable the conferees would certainly finish their labors in forty-eight hours. The President, it is presumed, mused a while over these statements, and then doubtless reached the conclusion, which is generally held tonight, that there is some uncertainty as to when an engrossed copy of H. R. 379 will be presented to him for his signature.

To speak seriously, Senator Aldrich thinks the bill will be out of conference in four or five days. Mr. Dingley inclines to the belief that the struggle will last a week or ten days. Until the temper of the two houses has had a chance to manifest itself, nothing more definite than this can be said.

WANTS TO BURN THE TOWN.

Weyler Asks Permission to Destroy Bayamo.

HAVANA, via Key West, July 8.—Captain General Weyler has at last decided it wise to evacuate Bayamo. He has already ordered the inhabitants to betake themselves to Manzanillo, and has asked the war department in Spain to authorize the withdrawal of troops and the burning of the town. The expense of maintaining the garrison there has always been heavy, and one for which the end gained did not justify.

Columns of men and thousands of dollars might have been saved to Spain and no strategic advantage lost had Bayamo been given up a year ago.

General Weyler is trying to arouse the hopes of the Spaniards in the ultimate triumph of his campaign, not only by advertising the ... character of his new plans, but also by ... that the Cubans under ... and Maximo Gomez are divided in a two factions, which are bitterly fighting one another, and also that the United States, far from interfering in favor of the revolutionists, will help the Spanish government more and more to prevent the landing of ... filibustering expeditions. To this end Weyler employs in Havana La Lucha, the well-known newspaper that calls itself a Republican organ, and yet enthusiastically supports Canovas, Weyler and the Conservatives.

MADRID, July 8.—It is persistently said that General Weyler will soon be recalled to Spain. The ministerial press, however, declares that Weyler will remain at his post.

DEATH OF SENATOR HARRIS.

Best Known Citizen of His Native State, Tennessee.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Senator Isham G. Harris of Tennessee died at his residence here a few minutes before 5 o'clock this afternoon. The Senator had been growing constantly weaker for several days past, the intense summer heat which has prevailed recently ... his ... and no doubt ... his end.

This morning the Senator rallied somewhat, but only temporarily. Toward the afternoon he sank rapidly and passed away peacefully. Among those present at his bedside when death came were one of his sons, Mr. Edward K. Harris, and Representative Benton McMillin of Tennessee.

The remains will be taken to Memphis for interment. Senator Harris ... in the Senate chamber ... but he was unable to stay for any length of time, and had to be taken home in a carriage. During the past six ... the Senator had been able to attend ... only at intervals, having been absent from the city several times ... to recuperate.

Eighty Anarchists Arrested in Rome.

ROME, July 8.—Eighty anarchists have been arrested here on suspicion of complicity in the attempt upon the life of King Humbert made by Pietro Acciarito, April 22. Acciarito was convicted and sentenced on May 29 to imprisonment for life.

South Carolina Dispensaries' Shortage.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 8.—Shortage amounting to $15,660 of the moneys due by county dispensers to the state were brought to light by the dispensary board of control today. The books are in such a state that no report can be made of all the shortages, but it is probable that the total sum will be much larger. For the period between March 28, 1895, and November 30, 1896, the shortage is $12,...

Examination reveals the fact that the bonds given by the dispensers who have fallen behind in their accounts are in each case worthless, and that no steps have ever been taken to punish any of the offenders.

JAPAN'S REPLY.

Belief That It may Aggravate the Strained Relations.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The Japanese minister has for several days been receiving fragments of a long cable message from his government. The last portion was received today. Officials at the legation are very reticent as to the contents of the despatch. It is admitted, however, that it embodies the reply of the mikado's government to the recent note of Secretary Sherman, which was in effect a refusal on the part of the administration to recognize the validity of the grounds on which Japan based her protest against the annexation of Hawaii. From the precious manner in which this latest communication from Japan was referred to by a gentleman who knows its contents, there is every reason to believe that it will show very clearly that our rivals of the Pacific still view the proposed action of the United States with that seriousness which was reflected in the earlier communications on the same subject, and that they do not propose to have their representations whistled down the wind. Unless appearances are very deceptive, the presentation of this note must increase the tension in the relations between the two governments.

It is already admitted that the differences which have already arisen will require delicate handling to adjust. Representatives of the Japanese government still refuse to consider the possibility of serious trouble between their country and ours, and express themselves as positive that the present imbroglio will eventually end happily. But the fact that Secretary Sherman still ignores the personal note of Minister Toru Hoshi, requesting an explanation of his denial that the treaty was about to be sent in, can hardly be set down as a favorable sign.

Following his instructions, the Japanese minister will at once acquaint the State Department with the views of his government, as expressed in the communication received today.

No Sign of Trouble Between Japan and Hawaii.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Minister Hoshi of Japan has received late advices from both Hawaii and Japan which show that negotiations on the differences between the two governments on the immigration question are going forward peaceably, and that there is nothing in the progress of the negotiations to justify sensational reports that there is a probability of serious trouble between the two governments.

France Preparing for a Naval Demonstration in the Bosphorus.

PARIS, July 8.—It is reported here that M. Hanotaux, minister of foreign affairs, informed the cabinet this afternoon that matters in the East were most serious. It is also reported that the minister of marine has telegraphed to the admiral commanding the Mediterranean fleet, instructing him to mobilize his forces with a view of making a naval demonstration in the Bosphorus.

HOT WEATHER DYSPEPSIA.

Thousands Suffer From It at This Season of the Year.

Hot weather dyspepsia may be recognized by the following symptoms: Depression of spirits, heaviness and pain in the stomach after meals, loss of flesh and appetite, no desire for food, bad taste in the mouth, especially in the morning, wind in stomach and bowels, irritable disposition, nervous weakness, weariness, restlessness, headache, palpitation, heartburn. It is a mistake to treat each trouble with "tonics," "blood purifiers," "cathartics," "pills," because the whole trouble is in the stomach. It is indigestion or dyspepsia and nothing else.

All these symptoms rapidly disappear when the stomach is relieved, strengthened, and cleansed by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. They should be taken after meals and a few carried in the pocket to be used whenever any pain or distress is felt in the stomach. They are prepared only for stomach troubles.

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A new and simple method of studying the stomata, or breathing-pores of leaves, has been suggested by Mr. Francis Darwin. It consists in the use of "Chinese sensitive leaf," a thin sheet of specially-treated horn, which acts as a hygroscope and curves away from the source of moisture if the stomata of a leaf on which it is laid are open, remaining stationary if they are shut. A simple scale may be made to record the degree of curvature. The apparatus opens the way for a variety of experiments by home botanists, and shows, among other things, that the stomata regularly close at night as the leaves pass into something like a "sleep," often opening again in the darkness, if that be long continued.

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IN SPECIAL SESSION.

School Committee Finds Little Business to Transact.

A special meeting of the school committee was held last evening, but no special business was transacted.

The superintendent read his annual report, which on motion of Mr. Perry was adopted as that of the school committee, and as such was ordered printed.

On motion of Mr. Perry, it was voted that the report of the headmaster of the Rogers High School be included in the report of the school committee and printed when received.

The request of Mr. Andrew Bryer, for permission to remove the materials of his building which is being torn down through the yard of the Clarke Street school, was granted on motion of Mr. Franklin, provided that all damage shall be repaired by Mr. Bryer.

Miss M. C. Stanhope was elected, on recommendation of the committee on teachers, clerk of the Rogers High School at a salary of $350 per year. The same committee also recommended that the salary of Miss Lucy P. Brownell be increased $50, to make it $760 for the ensuing year.

Mr. O. G. Langley, for the committee on buildings, reported progress. He stated that plans are to be prepared for the plumbing needed at the Coddington, Willow and Potter schools, and that the work will be pushed to completion.

UNSUNG PHILANTHROPY.

The startling news that Florence Shaw, better known under the name of Florence Nightingale, and whose self-sacrificing and heroic deeds in the Crimean war have given her worldwide renown, is slowly but surely dying at her home in England, recalls the names of Dorothy Dix, Grace Darling, Clara Barton and our own heroine, Ida Lewis. The latter, from her isolated home at the "Lime Rocks," in this harbor, with her keen eye, sensitive ear, and calm self-possession, has been instrumental in rescuing many persons from a watery grave.

Before the establishment of the Newport Hospital, a trained nurse had never been heard of in this city. When extreme sickness entered a family the relatives and nearest neighbors actually vied with each other in doing kindly deeds for the sufferer; the orders of Free Masons, Knights of Pythias, Royal Arcanum and other fraternal societies were ever on the alert to offer their services, both day and night, for the relief of private and individual care of relatives and friends.

In a city even as small as ours, if the record of kind acts daily occurring could be known, the record would be a surprising one. Many a daughter has year after year watched by the couch of an invalid mother, and many a son has through long, weary nights willingly attended to the wants and necessities of a suffering father.

A lady, a native of this town, has within a few weeks passed away in her adopted home in a lovely town on the banks of the Hudson, whose death was doubtless hastened by years of unselfish care and attention to several infirm and aged relatives.

A long time ago an old man by the name of Thomas Hornsby, although a cripple and using crutches, seemed almost instinctively to understand the art of taking care of the sick. For the merest pittance he would go where his services could be of the most avail, and in some instances would assist in ameliorating the condition of a sick neighbor, entirely gratuitously, although his own means of support were the most scanty and limited.

A recent minister of the North Baptist Church, during his brief pastorate, watched many nights in the room of a sick parishioner, and in himself was a happy combination of pastor, physician and nurse.

Many an unsung philanthropist will never have his brow enwreathed in a chaplet of laurel, but doubtless a bright crown awaits them in another world.

As one pays a brief visit to the admirable institution on Powel avenue, and observes the young women in their white attire, passing noiselessly from bed to bed, not only doing kindly acts but saying equally kindly words, he will naturally feel that it is no light honor to receive the title of trained nurse, and the visitor recalls the lines:

"When pain and anguish wring the brow,
A ministering angel thou."

All who have helped, or shall continue to help in any way, the Newport Hospital will, when they wrap the drapery of their couch about them, assuredly "lie down to pleasant dreams," and will feel that they have not lived in vain and that life to them, at least, has not proved a failure.

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AT THE OPERA HOUSE MONDAY.

The opening bill of the Royce-Rolleston company at the Opera House next Monday evening will be a sensational melodrama entitled "A Fatal Oath." This play illustrates graphically the horrors of the old convict days in Australia, the scenes being laid in England and that country. Sir Richard Devine, an English baronet, had expelled his son from his house. After some five years' wandering the son returns home to see his mother. By a peculiar coincidence a celebrated burglar named John Rex, who is Richard Devine's brother, is going to rob Sir Richard's house that night. This becomes known to Richard's cousin, Maurice Frere, who is scheming to get possession of the old man's property. The burglars are surprised and escape, but Richard, who comes back to see his mother, is arrested and sentenced to transportation for life, instead of the guilty ones. Lady Devine has previously confessed to Sir Richard that Richard is not his son, but one by a previous secret marriage. The old man compels him to swear that he will relinquish the name of Devine. When accused by the villain of being Rufus Dawes, an alias of John Rex, the burglar and murderer, he keeps silent to save his mother from shame.

The second act takes place on the convict ship. The convicts unite and capture the vessel, putting off Richard and Frere, Mrs. Vickers and Sylvia Vickers on a desert island, whence they are finally rescued by a passing craft and taken to Australia. Richard, now known as Rufus Dawes, goes to the convict station to serve his sentence. After suffering innumerable tortures he is finally pardoned and returns to England. Frere is arrested for killing a boy convict by flogging him. Richard rejoins his mother, marries Sylvia and comes into his own.

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If you have been deceived and tried one of the cheap bran substitutes now on the market, claiming to be the original and to have great food value, and you got a pound of poorly roasted bran for your 25c, and a poor, weak, brackish drink (what can you expect from bran), don't be discouraged but try GRAIN-O. It is made from solid grain, nicely browned and 2 pounds for 25c. Grain-O takes the place of coffee at ¼ the price. Get a package of your grocer today.

PROVIDENCE PEOPLE TO SEE A GUNBOAT.

Congressman Bull has endorsed Governor Dyer's formal application to the Navy Department for the despatching of a man-of-war to Providence in the near future for the purpose of giving the people of that city a view of one of the ornaments of the new navy. The department states that there is not water enough in the harbor to permit of the sending of one of the large ships, but the officials have expressed their willingness to send one of the new gunboats.

A WALKING GOWN.

Eton suits, consisting of a skirt of medium width and a jacket, have a firm hold on the fancy of the multitude, taking first place, to the displacement of the usual fly front reefer so common for several seasons in costumes of this style. Both plain colors and mixtures are made in this way, including smooth-faced cloth, serge, canvas, checks and indefinite mixtures in tweed and cheviot.

The model shown herewith is a cheviot



of many colors interwoven, and forming a light wood-brown tone, from which one color, sapphire blue, stands prominently forth in tiny, broken lines. A blue braid of the same shade is used as a trimming, set on in rows, with buttons to match placed at the fronts. The blouse waist is of blue china silk, of the same shade, made with bishop sleeves unlined. The body of the waist has a fitted lining, over which the silk is shirred on four cords to form a yoke effect both back and front. The belt is of brown leather, and the hat of blue straw.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Andrews arrived from Washington last night.

—Dr. Kate W. Baldwin of Philadelphia is in Newport for the summer.

—Mr. James Stillman of New York has arrived at his cottage on Narragansett avenue.

—Miss Margaret Curley has returned from an extended visit to Providence and other cities.

—Mr. Buchanan Winthrop has consented to serve as president of the Golf Club, in place of the late Theodore A. Havemeyer.

—Rev. G. H. Deming, D. D., of Boston will preach Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church in exchange with Rev. James M. Craig.

—Mr. Walter R. Hale of Stoneham, Mass., has declined the call to become general secretary of the Newport Young Men's Christian Association.

—It was ladies' night again last evening at the quarters of the Newport Yacht Club, and the merry party ceased dancing only as eight bells was struck at midnight.

—Mr. Jefferson Morrison has so far recovered from a severe attack of rheumatism and lumbago that he expects soon to be able to be at his stand in Morton Park again.

—Steamer Mount Hope brought a party of three hundred and fifty on its regular excursion from Fall River yesterday afternoon, and the Pawnee brought a party from Pawtucket.

—Miss Gertrude S. Luce, daughter of Rev. W. A. Luce, formerly of this city and now of Taunton, was graduated this year from the Willimantic, Conn., high school, having begun her course in the Fall River high school.

—A stone cutter is engaged, under the direction of the park commission, in cutting the names of the five colonial governors who lie in the Coddington burial ground, in the coping of the stone fence on the Farewell street side.

—Mr. John Jacob Astor contemplates putting a window in memory of his father in the new Church of the Messiah at Rhinebeck, N. Y. Mrs. Caroline Schermerhorn Astor, mother of Colonel Astor, will also put in a window, which is being made in Italy at a cost of $25,000. The subject of Mrs. Astor's window will be "Mary at the Tomb."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The following officers of the Italian Brotherhood have been elected:

President—Peter Coca.
Vice President—Rocco Barone.
Recording Secretary—Caesar P. Pinto.
Financial Secretary—Anthony M. Marolda.
Treasurer—Vincent Caputi.
Councillors—Donato Tauriallo, John P. Pinto, A. Petterello, Alphonse Del Franco.
Trustees—Caesar P. Pinto, Michael P. Pinto, Emilio Papa.
Guard—Parede Salzillo.

BICYCLE GOOSE MELODIES.

Tom, Tom, the piper's son,
He stole a wheel and away he run;
But a copper fleet,
Young Tom could beat,
And they locked him up in Mulberry street.

Jack Sprat's
Trousers would flap;
His wife, she made hers tight,
And so between the two, you see,
They kept the average right.

Peter, Peter, pumpkin eater,
Had a wife and couldn't keep her,
Took an axe and smashed her bike,
So she had to stay at home at night.

Hey-diddle-diddle,
The bicycle riddle,
The strangest part of the deal:
Just keep your accounts
And add the amounts;
The "sundries" cost more than the wheel.

Little Tommy Tittemouse
Worked for a cycling house,
Went to his meals
On other men's wheels.

There was a man in our town
As wise as wise can be;
He ran across a piece of glass
And punctured both his tires;
And when he saw the air was out,
With all his might and main,
He took his little nickel pump
And pushed it in again.

Ding-dong bell,
There's the man who fell.
Who knocked him down?
The meanest man in town.
Who called the "cop?"
A man who saw him drop.
What a wicked man was that,
To try to kill the cyclist fat,
Who never did him any wrong,
But kept a-pedalling right along.

FANCIES.

"Has his lordship exhibited any symptoms of affection?"

"Yes. He has tried to find out how much we are worth."—[Life.

Teacher—What do you know about the centurion spoken of in the New Testament?

Pupil—Don't know much of anything; but I suppose he must have been a scorcher.—[Boston Transcript.

"Governor Winthrop," said Peter the Great, "how do you account for the enormous quantity of old maids in Massachusetts?"

"Tea," said the governor. "When the Bostonians threw all that tea into the harbor it gave the water a flavor which it has never lost, and which has been an irresistible attraction ever since."—[Harper's Bazar.

Delia—That was an awful accident that happened at the pier this forenoon.

Celia—For mercy's sake, what was it?

Delia—May Flemming was fooling with somebody or other, and all of a sudden she fell into the water.

Celia—Horrors! And was she drowned?

Delia—No; but she had her bathing suit on, and she got it wringing wet.—[Boston Transcript.

Some time ago Manager Wardlow of a telegraph office in Brazil took a telegram which read:

"Miss ——, will you be mine?"

It was delivered to the proper party, and soon she came tripping into the office to wire her reply. It read:

"Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes. Yes."

Ten words, you see, and she paid her quarter, and then tripped out of the room with the sweetest kind of a blush.—[Evansville Courier.

The head teacher in a Sunday school was much worried by the noise of the scholars in the next room. At last, unable to bear it any longer, he mounted a chair and looked over the partition. Seeing one boy a little taller than the others talking a great deal, he leaned over, hoisted him over the partition and banged him into a chair in his room, saying:

"Now be quiet."

A quarter of an hour later a small head appeared around the door, and a meek little voice said:

"Please, sir, you've got our teacher."—[Tit-Bits.

PERSONALS.

....Mark Twain has finished his new book, "The Surviving Innocent Abroad," and has left England for the Continent for a vacation.

....By direction of the President, a Congressional medal of honor has been awarded to Brigadier General John M. Wilson, chief of engineers, for most distinguished gallantry in action.

....Hon. Edward H. Baker, United injured in a railway accident in that city injured in ar ailway accident in that city some days ago, died yesterday. He was thought to be recovering, but unexpected complications set in, causing his death.

....The venerable Rev. S. B. Halliday, formerly assistant pastor of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, and one of the founders of the Five Points Mission in New York, is seriously ill at Orange, N. J., where he went on a visit and was stricken with apoplexy. He is in his eighty-sixth year.

....The will of Joseph Sartor, filed for probate in Brooklyn, contains a bequest of $5,000 to the Old Ladies' Home at Springfield, Mass., to establish a fund for the benefit of the inmates. The Springfield City Hospital is also a beneficiary to the extent of $5,000. The estate is estimated at $100,000.

....Captain George A. Rines, of schooner Hilda, last evening was presented, at his home in Baltimore, Md., with a gold medal and certificate of honor by Mr. Arthur Robson, local agent of the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique. The honor was conferred upon Captain Rines by the officials of the French line in recognition of his bravery in rescuing four of the shipwrecked crew of the Ville de St. Nazaire, which foundered off Cape Hatteras last winter. Captain Rines picked up from a lifeboat the captain, steward, doctor and one passenger of the ill-fated steamer several days after the wreck occurred.

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When they have indigestion, they take a few doses of a peculiar cordial which they have for years prepared from medicinal herbs and plants. It is called the Shaker Digestive Cordial.

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NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

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The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executors of the last will and testament of

JOHN FOSTER,

late of Boston, Massachusetts, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, request all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to them or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to them.

They have appointed William P. Sheffield, of No. 24 Thames street, Newport, R. I., their agent.

CHARLES F. COFFING,
HORACE D. BRADBURY,
HERBERT NASH,
Executors.

Newport, R. I., July 2d, 1897.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 21st day of June A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M.

G. Norman Weaver, Administrator on the estate of

ABBY H. NORMAN,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his first and final account of administration on said estate and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded, and for an order of distribution of the balance that may be found due from him as such administrator among those who are legally entitled thereto.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 12th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Administrator on the Estate of

GEORGE LAWTON,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

HENRY H. LAWTON, Administrator.
Newport, R. I., June 25th, 1897.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Pauline W. LeRoy, Stuyvesant LeRoy, Jr., and Amos T. French presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

STUYVESANT LeROY,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to them, the Executors named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 19th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Mary T. Dowling of said Newport presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

DANIEL DOWLING,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to her, the Executrix named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 19th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 21st day of June A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of William A. Williams of said Newport presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

MARY JANE CARRIGAN,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of said deceased may be granted to him, the Executor named therein having deceased.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 12th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the person and estate of

FREDERICK J. SHARP

minor, of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

THOMAS R. SHARP, Guardian.
Newport, R. I., June 18th, 1897.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the persons and estates of

ROBERT BOUTELLE NOYES and STEPHEN HENLEY NOYES

minors, of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estates to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to her.

CHARLOTTE L. NOYES, Guardian.
Newport, R. I., June 18th, 1897.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Monday, the 28th day of June A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Harriet V. Johnson, Mary Kate Burrows and Frederick P. Johnson, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

WILLIAM H. SMITH,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to them, the Executors named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 19th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

NEWPORT PROBATE NOTICES.

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the City of Newport, guardian of the person and estate of

JAMES HENRY ALGER,

of full age, of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to her.

MARY ELIZABETH ALGER, Guardian.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Newport, R. I., July 6th, 1897.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executor of the last will and testament of

JOANNA S. BARKER,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

WILLIAM E. FRANKLIN, Executor.
Newport, R. I., July 6th, 1897.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

The subscriber having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, R. I., Executor of the last will and testament with codicil thereto of

ANNE E. TISDALE,

late of said Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to him or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to him.

He has appointed Miss Hannah E. Wilbur of No. 57 Washington street, Newport, R. I., his agent.

JOHN H. JOUVET, Executor.
Newport, R. I., July 6th, 1897.

Office of the Probate Clerk of the City of Newport, in Rhode Island, July 6th, A. D. 1897.

Allen C. Griffith of said Newport having this day filed in this office his petition in writing to the Court of Probate of said Newport, representing that

JOHN BRADFORD

now resides in said Newport, and is a person of full age, who, from want of discretion in managing his estate is likely to bring himself to want, and praying that he the said Allen C. Griffith or some other suitable person may be appointed guardian of the person and estate of said John Bradford, and said petitioner having applied to me to give notice thereof by advertising in the Newport Daily News:

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that said petition will be considered at the Court of Probate to be holden on Monday, the 19th day of July A. D. 1897, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall in said Newport.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

At the Court of Probate of the City of Newport in Rhode Island, holden on Tuesday, the 6th day of July A. D. 1897, at 3 o'clock P. M.

On the petition, in writing, of Lydia N. Melville and George W. T. Melville presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

SARAH M. MELVILLE,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of said deceased may be granted to Hays Hall, Jr., of said Newport, or to such other person as the Court may think fit, the Executrix named therein having in writing refused said trust.

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 26th day of July 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by advertisement in the Newport Daily News once a week at least, for fourteen days.

WM. H. HAMMETT, Probate Clerk.

TIVERTON PROBATE NOTICES.

PROBATE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given for all persons interested, to appear if they shall see fit, before the Court of Probate of the Town of Tiverton, R. I., to be holden at the Town Hall in said Tiverton, on the second Monday in July next, and be heard on the first annual account of Cornelius P. Seabury as guardian of the estates of

SUSAN A. MANCHESTER and MARY J. MANCHESTER.

By order of said Court,
JOHN T. COOK, Clerk.

Probate Clerk's Office, Tiverton, R. I., June 15, 1897.

PROBATE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given for all persons interested, to appear if they shall see fit, before the Court of Probate of the Town of Tiverton, R. I., to be holden at the Town Hall in said Tiverton, on the second Monday in July next, and be heard on the first and final account of Charles Dyer as administrator of the estate of

ICHABOD SEABURY,

late of said Tiverton, deceased, which account contains a credit of the proceeds of the sale of lands belonging (in part) to said estate.

By order of said Court,
JOHN T. COOK, Clerk.

Probate Clerk's Office, Tiverton, R. I., June 15, 1897.

PROBATE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given for all persons interested, to appear if they shall see fit, before the Court of Probate of the Town of Tiverton, R. I., to be holden at the Town Hall in said Tiverton, on the second Monday in July next, and be heard on the petition of Emma J. Gray, praying that a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of

OTIS A. GRAY,

late of said Tiverton, deceased, may be proved, allowed and ordered recorded, and that letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased may be granted to said petitioner.

By order of said Court,
JOHN T. COOK, Clerk.

Probate Clerk's Office, Tiverton, R. I., June 15, 1897.

SUMMER RESORTS.

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The Stone Bridge House is situated at the head of Stone Bridge and the scenery from the house is very beautiful. The House is now open for summer boarders, both steady and transient.

Fish and meat dinners served in all styles.

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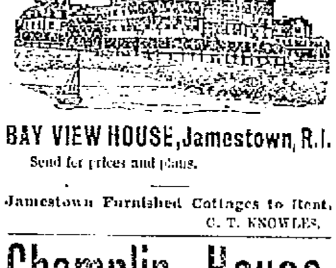
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Advertisements, without special position, $1 a square for the first insertion and 25 cents for each continuance. Ten lines, or less, nonpariel type (or five-sixths of an inch) make a square. Advertisements of five lines or less are taken at about one-half these rates. A discount is allowed on all advertisements ordered in the Daily for more than one week, or when both papers are used.

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The News has six steam presses and has a large and well-appointed job printing office.

Newport Daily News

FRIDAY, JULY 9, 1897.

THE SUMMER RESORT INDUSTRY.

Now that the South threatens the manufacturing supremacy of New England through its cheap labor, and the West is disposed to crowd this section to the wall by taxing the raw materials, such as wool and hides, from which the goods are made, the people must of necessity turn their attention in other directions. Fortunately, the summer business cannot be transferred to either of these sections, and along this line we shall be still ahead. More and more New England is coming to be the one section which attracts visitors from the outside for rest and recreation during the warm months of the year. Just as Florida and California are pre-eminently the states to which many Americans travel during the winter months, so the New England states attract a large temporary population from the other sections during June, July and August and part of September.

The Boston Advertiser says that "it has been recognized for some time that this development of New England, as the great summer resort for the whole country, has been of pecuniary advantage to this section. The visitors who spend their vacation in New England help to make a market for New England farm products, and to give employment to New England labor, on the farm or at the seashore; and the mere work of catering to the wants of this summer population furnishes employment to thousands of men. We do not recollect that any special census has ever been taken in this state to show the extent of the summer trade, but it is unquestionably very large."

So far as we know, no statistics fully covering this question have ever been attempted, except once, when the subject was taken up by the Maine Bureau of Industrial and Labor Statistics several years ago, and then the figures were applicable only to the Pine Tree state. "According to this showing," says our authority, "it was found that one hundred and ninety of such hotels or boarding houses reported a capacity for more than thirteen thousand guests, an average of about seventy guests to each hotel or boarding house so reporting. The average number of employes per house was fifteen, and the average sum paid to each employe was about $61.50. Only seventy-seven proprietors reported the amount paid for farm products, but these together paid out $116,660, or an average of $1,500 per house. The estimated number of guests in Maine boarding houses each summer is about 176,000." The returns were confessedly incomplete, but the conclusion was that the pecuniary results to the state of Maine from its summer resort business "cannot be estimated at less than $10,000,000 per annum."

Since then the summer resort business throughout New England has steadily grown, and it is still increasing, not only in Maine, but also in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont and Rhode Island. If the statistics could be carefully collected, the result would doubtless astound even the most careful observers.

HOW MANY PEOPLE?

The Russian census has just been completed, and, according to the American consul-general at St. Petersburg, the total population is 130,000,000, about twice that of our own country. There are great figures, and clearly put the dominions of the czar at the head of the list among European nations. The only other civilized nation in the world that can even claim superior numbers is Great Britain, which, it is said, controls no less than 345,000,000 of people, scattered throughout Europe, Asia, Africa and America. Included in this total is the Indian population, which comprises, says one authority, 221,000,000 natives and 66,000,000 in the so-called "feudatory states." Next to the population of India, that of the United Kingdom, including about 38,000,000 people, is the most important factor. Including the population in the so-called protectorates, a population of 35,000,000 might be added to the totals already quoted; but the British hold upon these people is not altogether a firm one.

The census of the Russian empire does not include any important colonies or dependencies outside of Russia and Siberia. The count has covered practically one broad and continuous stretch of territory. If such a test were applied to the British census, Russia might claim first rank among civilized nations as regards the population of the main stretch of empire, exclusive of dependencies. In such a class the United States would take second rank, as the American population is probably near 75,000,000 at this time.

While the British census is open to the objection that it includes millions of conquered subjects, the Russian population, it may be said, is not entirely homogeneous. The work of the Russian nihilists is widespread throughout the empire. No statistician can say exactly how large a portion of the Russian population is in sympathy with the movement which aims to destroy the Russian government. It can be said confidently, however, that at least a considerable fraction of the Russian population may be classed as unwilling subjects of the czar. Among the great nations of the world the United States alone may fairly claim that practically all its citizens are willing subjects of the government.

BACK TAXES.

The ways of escaping taxation in Prussia are not as many or as easy as in this country. It is reported, as a case in point, that the Berlin agent of a big London firm had paid during 1891-94 less taxes than he ought to have done according to the law. The tax officials, however, found it out, and a few days ago sentenced him and his firm to a fine and back taxes, amounting altogether to about 100,000 marks, the first fine alone being 81,000 marks. To insure payment they seized goods and wares.

That is as it should be, for there can be no good reason why such an offence should be outlawed through having been concealed for a few months or years, more than are any others. Some provision should be made for the collection of back taxes when it is discovered that the state and the community has been defrauded, as it so frequently is. The case of a distinguished Newport clergyman not a long time ago, who was a millionaire and yet paid no tax on the greater part of his property because he kept it in hiding, is in point. Whatever may be thought of an inheritance tax, there ought to be no question as to the propriety of collecting back taxes when the facts become known and the wrong is exposed to public view.

The eggs of what is known as the imported elm leaf beetle are now hatching out, and there are plenty of them in this city. This is the generation that does the greater mischief in the destruction of the foliage, and the work is likely to soon begin. A second crop comes later, and is accustomed to take what is left. No remedy except spraying has yet been found, and by that process the work can be made effectual. The story which some one has invented, that the poison spread upon the leaves would also kill the birds, has little or no foundation in fact. Birds are not accustomed to feed on leaves.

Chairman Dingley figures out that each day of delay in bringing about his new tariff costs $2,500,000. This, to say the least, is a queer way of putting the case. He does not tell us who would be making this daily profit, nor point out the sources from which it would come. He probably means that recipients of protection would have made gains to that amount, and, if so, the non-protected classes must have been mulcted accordingly. And the mere passing of money from hand to hand is no increase of national wealth.

New Bedford is to have a semi-centennial celebration of the anniversary of the city's incorporation during the week of October 10. There will be special services in the churches on that date, which is Sunday, and parades on land and water, bicycle races, aquatic contests and an extensive industrial exhibit will be sprinkled through the four days following. All who have been in any way allied with New Bedford are invited to come home and help celebrate.

It is reported from Montreal that prominent coal dealers are anxious over the coal strike in the United States, that there is not more than three weeks' supply of soft coal in Canada, and that the result there would be serious should the strike extend and production cease. And some of our American newspapers gloat over such a fact as though they gloried in other people's calamities.

Most farmers must fail to see why the government should pay from the United States treasury a bounty on growing beets any more than on growing corn or potatoes. If it be said that it is important to have a crop that is of importance in providing a table luxury, it will be still difficult to show that sugar is of more service to humanity than bread. Let us serve all the farmers alike in this respect.

Trees, as well as some men, are hard drinkers. It has been estimated that an oak of average size during the five months it is in leaf every year sucks from the earth about one hundred and twenty-three tons of water.

It is said that a hot wave is coming up from the valley of the Mississippi and that it will soon be here. Anything for a change. It has been very comfortable for the past few days in Newport.

The sultan is having a gay time with the representatives of the "powers," as well he may. They are afraid of him, and he knows it.

The Boston Transcript thinks that Harvard did not confer the degree on Lehmann because he is a scholar so much as from the fact that he has shown himself a sculler.

Few things could be more silly than the report sent out that the Japanese government is preparing to seize the Hawaiian islands by force of arms. The Japs are not fools by any means.

The horseless wagon does not appear so frightful to the cabmen's horses as it does to their drivers.

CURRENCY REFORM THE NEXT ISSUE.

Congress must soon determine what course it will pursue to solve the currency problem. It has been proposed by the Indianapolis convention to appoint a commission of outside experts to make a report on the subject. As the President would be obliged to place among their number some bimetalists, perhaps an outspoken silverite or two, this measure would probably engender a feeling of uneasiness, even if a majority of the commission were in favor of the single gold standard. Their findings could not have much influence unless Congress were to agree in advance to abide by them, whatever they might be. Some fifteen years ago a commission appointed to revise the tariff recommended, after a long and careful consideration, that rates should be horizontally reduced; Congress immediately decided to raise them!

There is reason to believe that Mr. Gage, Secretary of the Treasury, one of the best financiers of the country, has a plan, which the President will probably recommend to the favorable consideration of both houses as soon as the tariff has been disposed of.

When the Republicans found themselves in a majority in the Fifty-fourth Congress, the committee on ways and means immediately began to frame the Dingley bill. After tedious debates it has not yet been disposed of, so that we can hardly expect other important measures to be taken up during the present session. But sound-money men of all parties who voted the Republican ticket have a right to expect that as soon as the question is brought before them both houses will instruct their committees to be as diligent in the preparation of a bill for currency reform as they were in getting ready for the tariff. The committee on banking and currency of the house and the finance committee of the Senate, or special committees to be appointed, should make inquiries into the needs of the different sections of our country, study the systems successfully applied by foreign nations, and recommend in December next to Congress what they consider the best measures.

It has become painfully evident when questions of national importance are under consideration that, in consequence of our system of local representation, representatives of rural districts are apt to obey the mandates of their immediate constituents, even when they are at variance with the best interests of our community as a whole. Daniel Webster said, in a speech on the Louisville canal, in answer to the opposition: "Whoever would do his duty, and his whole duty, in the councils of this government, must look upon the country in its whole length and breadth."—[Harper's Weekly.

AN OLD COOK BOOK.

An old cook book, printed in the year 1835, and bearing the title "The American Frugal Housewife," with a dedication "to those who are not ashamed of economy," is full of interesting reading as a comparative study in household economies. Many things were necessary to the housekeeper of fifty years ago that are unknown nowadays, or have completely outlived their usefulness. It is Greek almost to the modern woman to be told that "The coverings of oil flasks, neatly sewed together with strong white thread, make useful table-mats," or "When a white Navarino bonnet gets soiled, rip it in pieces and wash it with soft water and while damp sponge it with strong, strained saffron tea, then press on the wrong side, and it will look like a new Leghorn." Other cautions that are obsolete today are to "Save vials and bottles," "Preserve the backs of old letters to write upon," elaborate directions for making over mattresses and pillows at home, how to prevent a pump handle from freezing set in cold weather, and scores of similar directions. The compiler advises, for example, that it is wise to have always the tinder-box and lantern ready on going to bed, in case of sudden alarm, and after much considering decides that "In the city it is better to exchange ashes and grease for soap, but in the country it is by far the best economy to make one's own soap," and pages of minute directions follow. So on with scores of similar directions concerning a life that has ceased to be.

The chapter devoted to simple remedies would cause the hair of the modern practitioner, steeped in the germ theory of disease, to rise upright. To prevent lockjaw, lye, a rind of pork, strong soft soap, spirits of turpentine and pulverized chalk are recommended; for throat distemper, the old name for diphtheria, a poultice of roasted apple mixed with an ounce of tobacco, the whole wet with spirits of wine and spread on a linen rag to be bound about the throat, is a panacea; to stop the blood from a wound apply scrapings of sole leather; a spoonful of ashes stirred in cider is suggested to relieve nausea in cholera morbus. A salve to reduce inflammation in wounds is made from lard melted and cooled five times in succession, then simmered with sliced onions and once more cooled; low-blackberry tea is prescribed for calomel sore mouth. One suggestion may be of value to the modern mother. To administer a dose of castor oil to children so that they will never suspect its presence, will even love the decoction, it should be boiled with an equal quantity of milk, sweetened, and when cold given as a drink. The actual food recipes of the book are held in a dozen pages, but there is much space devoted to herb-lore, the preparations for keeping meats, the making of dye-stuffs, home-made wines, beers and the like. Preserves are dismissed in a page, with the laconic introduction: Economical people will seldom use preserves, except for sickness; they are unhealthy, expensive and useless to those who are well." Altogether the "Frugal Housewife" is an illuminating bit of retrospective literature.—[W., in New York Post.

HUMAN TRANSFORMATION.

Some astonishing changes in the physical type of races as a result of intercourse with foreigners have been pointed out by M. Albert Gauttard to the French Ethnographic Society. The Japanese, who since the revolution of 1868 have been rapidly adopting European modes of life, are losing the eccentricity of their eyes and the prominence of their cheek bones, while recently born children have less flattened noses than their ancestors, with a skin not so yellow. Europeans settling in Japan, on the other hand, gradually lose the rosy color of their skin, and tend to acquire an eccentricity in the eye. Another instance is reported by Adhemar Leclere, who has observed in Cambodia a striking change in his countrymen, the French residents soon beginning to acquire the type and the gait of the natives.

FOR SALE,

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE,

The Callender Cottage on the NORTHERLY SIDE OF NARRAGANSETT AVENUE (adjoining the Pinard Cottages) and extending to WARD AVENUE IN THE REAR; the grounds have 100 feet frontage by 200 feet depth and are prettily wooded.

The Price Asked is $22,000.

The house, although old, is WORTH ALTERING; it can be visited AT ANY TIME on application to the undersigned, who will take pleasure in giving any desired information.

R. C. DERBY, 138 Bellevue Ave.,
NEWPORT, R. I.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST July 5, rough black pocketbook, containing about $17 and some blank checks. Finder will be liberally rewarded upon return to Box 91, Daily News Office.

FOUND Adrift, about 2,000 feet of lumber, which owners may have upon paying charges. Christian Lotz, 290 Thames street.

FOUND Ladies' cape. The owner can have by paying for this advertisement. Apply to Charles S. Plummer, 29 Thames street.

FOUND Adrift, 1,500 or 1,800 feet of lumber, which owner may have upon paying charges. William Lotz, 17 Elm street.

FOUND On Thames street a silver lead pencil, which owner may have upon paying charges. Apply at Box 56, Daily News Office.

Blue Crushed Stone Gravel

For your paths. Now is the time to order, having just put in a new revolving screen we are prepared to furnish crushed stone free from dust and dirt, and any size you wish. Order by mail. Free mail delivery twice a day. Prompt attention. PECKHAM BROTHERS,
Middletown, R. I.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Situation by experienced Swedish woman to do washing at home. Address Box 21, Daily News Office.

WANTED Work by an English cook, who is thoroughly experienced; permanent or by the day. Newport and New York references. H. E. M., care Mrs. Shea, Harrison avenue.

WANTED By a colored woman, who is first-class laundress, family washing to take home. Apply at 24 Fillmore court.

WANTED Situation by young Japanese cook or butler, in private family, or on a yacht. With good references. M., 132 Spring street.

WANTED—Situation by thoroughly experienced French chef, who can furnish excellent references. Address Box 18, Daily News Office.

WANTED—By man of thirty-five years' experience, position to do any legitimate work in the city or out of it. Apply to Box 11, Daily News Office.

WANTED Situation as waitress, or chambermaid and waitress; good references. E. P., 75 Pope street.

WANTED—Situation by a Swedish girl to do kitchen work or housework. Apply at 30 Young street.

WANTED—Situation by first-class Swedish laundress, in private family. J. H., 511 Spring street.

WANTED—By thoroughly experienced person situation as parlor maid or housemaid; best of reference. Please call 29 East Bowery street.

WANTED—Situation as housemaid or seamstress, or would do waiting in small private family. Best of Newport references. Address Box 48, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation by first-class chambermaid and waitress; excellent New York and Newport references. Apply at 50 John street.

WANTED—Situation by German girl as chambermaid, or general housework in small family. Address Box 15, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation as butler by thoroughly experienced, reliable, steady man (30); good valet; 3 years reference. Job taken. J., Box 15, Daily News Office.

WANTED—By French dressmaker, late with Paquin in Paris, first-class cutter and fitter, engagements by the day; high New York city references. Address Mlle. M., 75 John street.

WANTED—Situation by an efficient woman as cook. The highest references from the leading families of New York and Newport. 418 Spring street, corner of Perry street.

WANTED—Situation by thoroughly experienced person as chambermaid or parlor maid; willing and obliging; best of references. Address Box 64, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Mrs. Duncan Elliot desires to recommend her chef to any family requiring thoroughly reliable, experienced man; luncheons and dinners undertaken. Brooke, Weebolm, Spring street.

WANTED—Situation by French chef in private family, highest testimonials. Address Box 31, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Situation as chambermaid by a first-class English Protestant, in a private family; best references. Address G. L., 35 Carey street.

WANTED By young man, situation of some kind; will work for very small salary and can furnish the very best of references, if required. Address Box 9, Daily News Office.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—First-class man cook; white or colored; one who is accustomed to work in restaurant; must be a good bread maker. Steady work for the right one. Address 103 Thames street, Sherman House.

WANTED Girl for general housework in small family; must be good plain cook. Inquire at 10 Bay View avenue.

GENERAL WANTS.

WANTED—Medium-sized showcase; flat preferred. Address Box 4, Daily News Office, stating price, etc.

An English Lady, Good Pianist,

wishes to meet with engagements as accompanist, or to play dance music. Terms on application to Mrs. Edith Wood, 121 John street

WANTED—To buy or rent, a first-class '95 or '96 model bicycle, of good make and appearance. A. H., Champlin street.

WANTED—Lady wishes to give instruction in the English branches during the summer. Apply Box 35, Daily News Office.

WANTED—Pupils to learn the Royal system of cutting ladies' garments. Royal patterns and models; stylish dressmaking and remodeling done. Cunningham & Barrett of West 22d street, New York. Call at 24 John street, Newport.

TENEMENTS, ROOMS AND BOARD.

WANTED—Board and rooms for lady and two children for month of August; quiet, cool house near beach; not to exceed $70 per month. Address Box 62, Daily News Office.

TO LET—Nice furnished room connected with bath, etc., location Spring street near Trinity Church. Address P. O. Box 145.

TO LET—Tenement with four or five light, airy rooms, with hot and cold water. Apply on the premises, 25 Hammond street.

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms at 2 Carey street. Apply at premises.

TO LET—Furnished room. Lady or gentleman. Centrally located. Box 63, Daily News Office.

TO LET—On second floor, newly furnished large rooms, with or without board. Apply 23 Greene street.

TO LET—On Bridge street, near Thames, two tenements with all modern improvements; rent $17 a month. Apply to J. S. Ramlose, 13 Thames street.

TO LET—Lower tenement 12 Calvert street. Apply at 251 Thames street.

TO LET—Tenement of six rooms, with all modern improvements. Apply to A. Stevens, 48 and 50 Spring street.

TO LET Furnished room at 610 Thames street, between Hammond and Dixon streets. Front room with bath, suitable for a lady.

TO LET—On Pleasant street new tenement of seven rooms, with all modern improvements. Apply to A. O'D. Taylor, Bellevue avenue.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With modern conveniences, with or without board, at Adams House, 106 Thames street.

AT 70 SPRING STREET.

Two large front rooms to let with board; bath room.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—With or without board, at 22 Prospect Hill street. Mrs. C. Anderson.

NOTICES.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Ocean Highland Co.

Will be held at the house of Mr. Pardon Tucker, in Jamestown, R. I., Tuesday, July 13, at 2 P. M. for the election of officers.

JOHN CONGDON, Secretary.

NOTICE.

Families desiring Pure Milk, Cream, Chickens, Eggs and Fresh Vegetables daily from the Swan Farm, Portsmouth, will leave their orders at P. O. Box 228, city.

NOTICE.

TO OUR

Summer Residents.

It is earnestly requested by the contractor for the removal of House Offal that householders upon arriving at their summer homes they will kindly notify him, in order that the collectors may make their regular calls. And it is also hoped that any inattention, neglect or other misconduct on the part of the drivers, be reported at once.

Notice may be given by postal card, telephone, or in person at 224 Thames street.

By giving such notice as is here requested our summer people will greatly assist the contractor in giving better service, and fulfilling the obligations of this department of our city government.

P. H. HORGAN, 224 Thames street.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 9. For New England—Fair, except showers on the coast this evening; fair Saturday; variable winds.

FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, July 9, 8 A. M. For Boston and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; continued warm; variable winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

There is considerable more cloudiness reported than was visible yesterday morning, but at the hour of observation (8 a. m. seventy-fifth meridian time) rain was not falling at any of the eighty-five stations reporting to this office, except at Jupiter, Fla. No rain of consequence fell east of the Mississippi river in the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. today. Indications pointing to storm development are very indefinite. The barometer does not fluctuate to any marked degree, although it registers slightly below normal over the major portion of the country. The present conditions are just right for continued heat, and this is the state of things in nearly all districts east of the Missouri valley. Temperatures of 100 were recorded at Omaha, Neb., and Huron, S. D., yesterday. A small area of cool weather prevails in the Northwest, but this is of such limited extent that it promises no relief. New England skies are mostly clear.

JOHN W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

July 9.	7 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature,	70	76	
Barometer,	29.90	29.88	29.86
Wind,	SW	SW	SW
Weather,	Clear	Clear	Clear

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

FRIDAY, JULY 9.

Sun rises............4 h 16 m
Sun sets............19 h 22 m
Moon sets............-- h -- m
Length of day............15 h 06 m
Day's decrease............0 h 11 m
High water............2 h 44 m; 15 h 05 m

SATURDAY, JULY 10.

Sun rises............4 h 17 m
Sun sets............19 h 22 m
Moon sets............0 h 10 m
Length of day............15 h 05 m
Day's decrease............0 h 12 m
High water............3 h 19 m; 16 h 05 m

SUNDAY, JULY 11.

Sun rises............4 h 18 m
Sun sets............19 h 21 m
Moon sets............1 h 05 m
Length of day............15 h 03 m
Day's decrease............0 h 14 m
High water............4 h 19 m; 17 h 06 m

Moon's Phases.

Full Moon, July 13, 23 h 32 m, W.
Last Quarter, July 21, 10 h. 08 m.; W.
New Moon, July 29, 10 h 58 m E.
First Quarter, August 5, 13 h 21 m; E.

NEW TODAY.

[NO OLD ADVERTISEMENTS LISTED HERE.]

To Let—Rooms; 4th page.
Found—Lumber; 4th page.
Wanted—Washing; 4th page.
Horses at Auction; 8th page.
Bee Hive—Special Sale; 1st page.
H. L. Dyer—Insurance; 4th page.
Wanted—Laundry Work; 4th page.
Shaker Digestive Cordial; 2d page.
E. Y. Mason—Instruction; 5th page.
Wanted—Situation by Chef; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation as Cook; 4th page.
Walsh Brothers—Oil Stoves; 5th page.
Wanted—Room and Board; 4th page.
Probate Court—Tisdale Estate; 2d page.
Probate Court—Alger Estate; 2d page.
Probate Court—Barker Estate; 2d page.
Probate Court—Bradford Estate; 2d page.
Probate Court—Melville Estate; 2d page.
Bowen Heirs—Coal and Wood; 8th page.
Whitfield Tuck—Duck Skirts, etc.; 2d page.
A. C. Landers—Lawn Umbrellas; 5th page.
Erastus P. Allan—Something New; 8th page.
Illuminating Co.—Electric Designs; 8th page.
W. B. Sherman, Jr. Bathing Suits; 2d page.
Wanted—Engagements as Accompanist; 4th page.
Wanted—Situation by Japanese Cook; 4th page.
Downing Brothers—Rum and Quinine; 6th page.
Taylor, A. O'D.—Jamestown B'ld'ng Sites; 4th p.

Changes of advertisements should be sent in the night before, or early on the day of issue to insure insertion.

INSURANCE AGAINST BURGLARY

At moderate rates in the well known Fidelity and Casualty Co. of New York. Several policies have already been placed on contents of summer houses.

FOR TERMS APPLY TO

H. L. DYER,

Cor. Bellevue Avenue and Bath Road.

FETE ILLUMINATIONS.

Gas and Electrical Effects

AT REASONABE PRICES.

No orders received after July 31, 1897. Remember the rush of last year and don't be late.

PHILIP F. CONROY,

181 Thames Street.

FOR SALE

The following properties of the George W. Carr estate.

Large dwelling and lot, 41 Third street; 6,000 square feet.

Two-tenement property, Walnut and Third streets; 2,500 square feet.

Two-tenement property, west of above; 2,500 square feet.

Four-tenement property, Marsh and Washington streets; about 3,000 square feet.

Two building sites on Third street; 50x50.

PARTICULARS OF

HENRY BULL, JR.,

107 Thames Street.

Newport Woman's Exchange,

21 WASHINGTON SQUARE.

Fourth of July Novelties and German Favors.

CAKE AND ROLLS

IN EVERY VARIETY.

Orders taken for Calf's Head Soup.

THE MYAMI TURKISH BATH CO.

Turkish, Vapor and Electric Baths.

LOCAL TREATMENT FOR RHEUMATIC TROUBLES.

33 CORNE STREET,

Between Prospect Hill and Pelham streets.

Drew's Employment Agency,

234 Thames Street. - - Newport.

First class male and female servants in all capacities. References investigated.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 9, Wall Street—The stock market opened heavy, with Atchison at 12, Sugar at 122¾, Chicago Gas at 96¾, Burlington at 82, Rock Island at 73, St. Paul at 83¾, Louisville at 49¾, Southern preferred at 28¾, Manhattan at 89¾, Missouri Pacific at 18¾, and New Jersey Central at 84¾.

10—The stock market opened heavy and lower on a renewal of yesterday's selling movement. Manhattan was off ¾ and New Jersey Central ½, which were the heaviest losses in the list. Business was in light volume.

11—The bears were disposed to press the advantage gained at the outset, but values yielded stubbornly and general recoveries ensued on the development of a brisk buying movement in Omaha, which carried the price up 1½, to 68¾. The shorts covered freely in the Grangers and other leading stocks, but towards the expiration of the first hour a determined raid was made against Chicago Gas, which precipitated general selling. However, the losses were only moderate. Chicago Gas receded 1½, to 95¾, and encountered some support around the lowest.

Noon—Money on call, nominally at 1 @ 1½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 @ 4 per cent; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87 for demand, and $4.85¾ @ 86 for sixty days; posted rates, $4.86¾ @ 87¾, and $4.88 @ ½; commercial bills, $4.85; silver certificates, 60¼ @ ½; bar silver, 60¼; Mexican dollars, 47; government bonds, firm. The market became steady soon after the first hour, and advanced during the second hour a fraction generally, and to the extent of a point for Chicago Gas. Consolidated Gas was weak, and declined 1½. The dealings became apathetic, transactions being small and rare. Many usually active stocks were entirely neglected. Sales to noon, 77,800 shares.

1—Pacific Mail loomed into prominence after mid-day, and rose a point on liberal purchases influenced by revived gossip as to the dividend outlook. The other shares were devoid of feature, but held firm at the rally. The dullness of the speculation invited bear aggression in a few stocks, but their efforts were unrewarded, and improvements ensued on the appearance of supporting orders in the standard shares.

NEW YORK, July 9.

	Noon.
Atchison	12
Canada Southern	49¾
Chicago & Alton	158
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	82¾
C., C., C. & St. Louis	25
Cotton Oil Certificates	13¾
Delaware & Hudson	109¾
Delaware & Lackawanna	155¼
Erie	14
Erie preferred	34¾
Erie seconds	18¾
Illinois Central	97¼
Kansas & Texas preferred	30¾
Lake Shore	171
Lead Trust	29¼
Louisville & Nashville	49¾
Michigan Central	100
Missouri Pacific	18¾
New Jersey Central	84¼
North American	4
Northern Pacific	13¼
Northern Pacific First preferred	40¾
Northwestern	117¾
Northwestern preferred	161
New York Central	101¾
Ontario & Western	14¼
Oregon Navigation	20
Pacific Mail	27¾
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	[illegible]
Reading	21¾
Rock Island	73¾
St. Paul	83¾
St. Paul preferred	140¾
American Sugar Refining	123
Texas Pacific	10¾
Union Pacific	5¾
Wabash	5¾
Wabash preferred	14¾
Western Union	83¼
Wheeling & Lake Erie	
Wheeling & Lake Erie preferred	30¾
General Electric	34¾
Iowa Central	7¾
St. Paul, M. & Man.	114
Southern Railway	8¾
Southern Railway preferred	28¾
Leather	6¾
Leather preferred	59¾
U. S. Rubber	14¾
U. S. Rubber preferred	60¼

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, July 8, Pennsylvania, from Hamburg.
Manchester, July 8, Chaucer, from New York.
Plymouth, July 8, Normannia, from New York.
London, July 8, British Empire, from Boston.
Passed Kinsale, July 8, Michigan, from Boston.
Passed Brow Head, July 8, Cevic, from New York.
Queenstown, July 9, Lucania, from New York.
New York, July 9, Astoria, from Hamburg.
Queenstown, July 9, Sylvania, from Boston.

A. O'D. TAYLOR,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

124 Bellevue Ave., Newport, R. I., and Narragansett Ave., Jamestown, R. I.

Building Sites in Jamestown.

Specially favorable opportunities are now offered to investors for Building Sites on either the SHOREBY HILL FARM, or the so-called BRYER FLAT in Jamestown.

Admirable locations, with fine water frontage, from 40 cents to 10 cents per foot.

On the Hill, from 10 cents to 20 cents.

Full particulars on application at either the Jamestown or Newport office.

Hours 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

BORN.

BARKER In this city, 7th inst., a son to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac W. Barker.

DIED.

CARR—In this city, 8th inst., Sarah H., widow of Samuel Carr, and daughter of the late Peter P. Remington, aged 76 years.
Funeral services at her late residence, 258 Broadway, Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Burial private.

DANIELS In Stillwater, 7th inst., Sarah A. wife of David D. Daniels, in her 77th year.

MONKHOUSE—In Cumberland, 8th inst., Mary, widow of James McAlhouse, in the 80th year of her age.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer. 327 & 321 Thames street. Residence, 101 [illegible] street. Telephone at office and residence.

Physical strength and energy contribute to strength of character, and both may be had by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

BARGAIN CHANCES.

I have been instructed by the heirs of the late George W. Carr, deceased, to sell the following named properties:

The homestead property, 41 Third street; lot 50 by 120 feet.

Two-tenement property, corner Walnut and Third street; lot 60 by 50.

Two-tenement property, next adjoining, west; lot 50 by 50.

Two building lots on Third street, opposite homestead estate; each 50 by 100.

Four tenement property corner Marsh and Washington streets.

Full particulars on application to

SIMEON HAZARD,
91 BROADWAY.

RESTAURANTS.

—THE—

English Tea and Luncheon Rooms

Breakfast from 7:30 A. M.

Furnished Rooms and Board by Day or Week.

130 & 132 BELLEVUE AVENUE.

From 327 Fifth Avenue, New York.

EASTON'S BEACH CAFE AND RESTAURANT.

Clam and Fish Dinners served. Cool and refreshing Beverages. Ice Cream, Cake, etc. Interesting Souvenirs. A. H. CROSBY.

The Allen Restaurant,

139 THAMES STREET,
Newport, R. I.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

OYSTERS, CLAMS, SALADS, BROILED LIVE LOBSTERS, HOME-MADE PIES, BREAD, CAKES and ICE CREAM.

D. B. & J. T. ALLEN, Proprietors.

Telephone connection.

FOR SALE—Cat-Yawl "Nautilus," 28 feet water line, built 1896, fast, able cruiser, complete equipment, cabin accommodations, two, galley and berth for man forward. H. H. Cabot, Bristol, R. I.

ELECTRIC MOTOR.

FOR SALE—A 2 horse power Detroit Motor, in good order; when new cost $100; will be sold for less than one half that amount. W. D. Rife, 200 Thames street.

PRINTING AT DAILY NEWS JOB OFFICE.

TAKEN FROM BENEATH HER PILLOW.

Lost $2,700, Diamond Earrings and Brooch on an Overland Train.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Mrs. Swift, a lady from the East, has just arrived and reported the loss of a small fortune. She was on the regular overland train, and when the sleeping car in which she had a berth came to a stop at Oakland Mole, her purse and all her jewelry were gone. She informed the police that her purse, containing $2,700 in greenbacks; two earrings, in each of which was a diamond weighing two carats, and a diamond brooch valued at $150, was taken from under her pillow during the night.

BOUND HAND AND FOOT.

East Providence Watchman Shut in a Box Car all Night.

PROVIDENCE, July 9.—At 4 o'clock this morning members of a train crew that was shifting freight cars into the yard of the Narragansett Milling Company at East Providence, heard cries coming from a box car that had been standing on the track all night. On opening the door they found inside E. A. Sweet, the watchman for the milling company, who was bound hand and foot. After being released, Sweet said that about 11:30 last night, while he was eating his lunch in the mill office, he was set upon by four masked men, who after binding him and striking him on the head with the butt of a pistol, threw him into the freight car and closed the door.

An examination of the company's office showed that the robbers, after disposing of the watchman, had gone back to the office and blown open the safe door with powder. They secured $75 in money and between $2 and $3 in stamps. There is no clue to the crooks. The watchman is suffering severely from the blow he received on the head from the revolver.

RECEIVERS VERSUS DIRECTORS.

Controversy Over the Bennett and Columbia Mills Settlement.

NEW BEDFORD, July 9.—An important step in the adjustment of the affairs of the Bennett and Columbia mill corporations has just been taken. The receivers have opened proceedings against the directors of the corporations under the liability statute, by filing a bill in equity in the supreme court for the establishment of the liability on the part of the directors for all the corporation debts in excess of the capital. The bill was filed Wednesday morning, and the next step will probably be an order of notice and the attachments of the property of the several defendants.

The bill is brought in the name of the Citizens National Bank, but the real plaintiffs are the receivers of the corporations, and the action is in the interests of all creditors. Copies of the bill have been sent to all creditors, with a request for such creditors to send in their claims, and they will all be prosecuted by the receivers at their expense. The blank to be returned embodies authority for proceeding to enforce the liability for signing false certificates to the state. It will probably be some time before the case reaches the stage of actual trial.

It is understood that the directors will oppose the movement with tooth and nail. They have already expressed the opinion that there is strong ground for believing that the court will see occasion why they should not be held liable for debts contracted by Treasurer Hadley, without their knowledge and after he had misrepresented the state of affairs to them. The case will involve a vast amount of evidence, and it is probable that the court will appoint a master to take the facts and report.

WANTED TO BE AMERICANS.

Hawaiians Disappointed Because the Treaty is Not Ratified.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Steamer City of Pekin, just arrived, was a day behind her regular time. Captain Smith explained the delay by saying the vessel was detained at Honolulu on a request from the officers of the Hawaiian government, who asked that the steamer remain in the harbor there until the Mariposa, from San Francisco, should arrive, on which the Hawaiians hoped to hear that the annexation treaty had been ratified by the United States Senate, and that they could call themselves Americans. The leaders of the annexation party had purchased all the fire-crackers on the islands in anticipation of news favorable to their way of managing the islands, and they were preparing for a big celebration; but the news to fully suit them did not come, and the celebration was declared off.

STATUS OF THE STRIKE.

Developments of the Next Few Hours of Great Importance.

PITTSBURG, July 9.—The developments of the next twelve hours promise to have an important bearing upon the miners' strike, and anxiety as to the outcome prevails on all sides. Severe earnestness now marks the great struggle, and it will require but a few days for the effects of the fight to become plainly evident throughout the districts involved. The result of the conference of labor leaders in this city today, to consider a proposition for the co-operation of the various trades, is awaited with anxious interest.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor arrived from Washington this morning, but up to 10 o'clock had met none of the leaders. He expressed himself as desirous of aiding the strikers in every possible manner. The conference is scheduled to be held at the Monongahela House. Just what is proposed is not known. It is thought that the meeting is to outline plans for making the strike general, and possibly to have the other trade organizations refuse to handle or use coal mined during the strike.

Shot Himself While Under Arrest.

HYDE PARK, Mass., July 9.—This town was considerably startled this morning by the announcement that Edmund Davis, a well known lawyer doing business in Boston, had committed suicide. Davis shot himself while under arrest during the night, and died early this morning. The arrest was made by Deputy Sheriff Samuel Capen of Boston, on a warrant charging Davis with embezzlement.

NEXT MONDAY.

Now Set as the Date for the Message on the Currency.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The main topic of discussion before the Cabinet at the regular meeting today was the message on the subject of a currency commission, which has been withheld for a few days in deference to the wishes of many prominent Republicans. After considering all the objections that had been made against the presentation of the message at the present session of Congress, the President and his Cabinet were still of the opinion that, in order to redeem the party promises, the subject of currency reform should be treated in a message recommending the creation of a special non-partisan commission, and unless there is another change in the plans of the President he will send the message to Congress next Monday.

Conference Committee at Work Behind Closed Doors.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The Republican conferees on the tariff bill met this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the room of the Senate committee on finance, and resumed the work of adjusting the differences between the two houses. The five Republican conferees appointed by the House, the four Republicans appointed by the Senate, together with Senator John P. Jones of Nevada, who has acted with the Republicans of the Senate throughout the tariff struggle, were present. The work proceeded behind closed doors.

Senate Adjourns in Respect to Its Dead Member.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The Senate has adjourned out of respect to the memory of Senator Harris. Resolutions were adopted for a public funeral in the Senate chamber tomorrow, to which the President, cabinet, Supreme Court and the diplomatic corps will be invited.

Strike Situation in Bilboa Grave.

BILBOA, Spain, July 9.—The socialists are continuing their agitation among the striking miners here, and the situation is grave. Reinforcements of troops and police have arrived.

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THE CADDIES' STRIKE OVER.

The caddies' strike is over. The boys went to the grounds yesterday for their pay, and Superintendent Davis induced about half of them to return. Some are first and some second-class caddies. The boys who were hired Wednesday were retained. While nothing is officially announced, it is understood that there will be some changes in the rules, or they will be enforced in a way that will not again cause the caddies to revolt. There appears to have been some ground for their action.

It is reported that one of the players telegraphed to New York for a boy, as though there were not enough in this city. If the Newport caddies could not get along, it is quite certain a New Yorker would not.

THE NEXT ROWING RACE.

The oarsmen at the Old Colony repair shop are anxious to enter a crew for the next twelve-oared boat race that takes place, provided they are given a chance to do so and it is no case of freeze-out, as in the Garretson cup race. After the men had been informed that they could not row in the Fourth of July regatta, and had given up the idea, Mr. Garretson heard of their wish to enter, and at once informed them that had he known of it he would have been pleased to accept their entry, and he was sorry that through some mistake they had been barred.

The plan proposed for the coming race, that of selecting four cutters from the Training Station fleet, is declared, by some who are supposed to know, not to be feasible, as the Station has not four good cutters suitable for racing fairly. It is suggested that if the two boats of the Naval Reserves were added to the Station boats enough good ones would be available to select four fairly even boats for a race. The question of boats will probably be one of the most important to settle before the next race.

TO ENTERTAIN THE FLORISTS AND GARDENERS.

Last evening the Florists and Gardeners' Club held a well-attended meeting in Music hall, to hear reports from those who had been soliciting subscriptions for the proposed entertainment of the national association on its visit to Newport August 20. The reports were very encouraging, about half the necessary amount having been collected, and the canvassers reported a general favorable disposition to support the club in making the visit the occasion of a good exhibition of Newport's beauties and hospitality.

It is expected that from eight hundred to one thousand persons will come here from Providence, where the association will hold its business session.

On the invitation of the national association to the Newport gardeners, to have two of their members prepare papers on appropriate topics, Mr. Robert Christie, gardener for Mr. Wetmore, was selected to prepare a paper on ornamental plants, and Mr. J. J. Butler one on bedding plants.

Mr. John Allan exhibited a number of handsome night-blooming cereus plants, called "Queen of the Night."

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Mr. S. W. Woodward returned from Washington this morning.

Steamer Wave is taking the place of the Sylvan Shore today.

Rev. C. E. Preston of St. Matthew's Church has had posted upon steamer Conanicut a very attractive advertisement of the services at that church.

Considerable wreckage from schooner Vera is strewn along the Jamestown shore.

Miss Sally Poor of Baltimore is guest of Mrs. Kindleberger, wife of Dr. Kindleberger.

Mr. F. C. Wallbridge and family of Philadelphia have arrived at their cottage on Lincoln street.

John Dufton, night watchman for many years at the Gardner House, died suddenly last night. He had just commenced his duties when he fell in a fit. A physician was called, but the man lived but a short time. John was a faithful employe, and could always be found at his post. He was a native of the Island of St. Helena, which he left about forty years ago. He had no relatives in this country, but a sister lives in Cape Town and a brother in South America. The remains will be buried in the cemetery on Narragansett avenue.

The following are recent arrivals at the Bay View: Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mr. Howardson, Mr. and Mrs. George Stetson, Crawford Stetson, Washington; Little Sara and party, Denver, Col.; Mrs. E. B. Carling, Charles B. Carling, Yonkers, N. Y.; Mrs. C. S. Tuttle, A. W. Stetson, Boston; Mrs. J. S. Whitehead, Washington; Mrs. E. Brice, Miss Brice, Miss Anna Brice, C. F. Brice, Philadelphia.

At the Bay Voyage: A. E. Johnston, Mrs. E. W. Vernon, Miss Vernon, Miss Lena Vernon, Newport; Miss Anna H. Howell, Germantown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Cole, Charles L. Cole, Hugh L. M. Cole, Miss Cassie W. Mann, Morristown, N. J.

At Hotel Thorndike: Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. J. J. Almy, Miss Almy, Mrs. Cunningham, Major I. W. Neele and daughter, Washington; Mrs. D. H. Roberts, Miss Roberts, Mrs. George W. Cross, Mrs. Henry D. Mellen, Jr., Mrs. A. G. McCook, New York; Mrs. Horace A. Kimball, Horace E. Kimball, Edith P. Kimball, Providence; Charles Monson and wife, New Haven; Robert Cuzul, Washington; Miss Beal, Philadelphia.

At the Gardner House: Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell, London, England; A. Albert Sack, Edwin D. Pearce, Mrs. Howard Richmond, Providence; Mrs. Ernest Allis, Mrs. Kate Winston, Miss Prather, Louisville; John C. Wallace, Haverford; Mrs. C. E. Russell, Pittsburg; W. H. Hastings, Boston.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. Warren Leland, Jr., has gone to New York.

—William Yancey has been fined $5 and costs for assaulting his wife.

—H. N. Potter, H. F. Brown, Potter Palmer, Honorie Palmer and Potter Palmer, Jr., are registered at the Casino.

—Steamer Sylvan Shore towed wrecked schooner Vera some distance Wednesday night before the accident occurred to her machinery.

—Tug Aquidneck has towed wrecked schooner Vera to Bristol. Catboat men secured a quantity of her lumber in the channel near the Jamestown shore.

—Steamer G. W. Danielson on her trip to this city this morning broke her gib pin off Point Judith and had to finish the trip under sail. The damage was repaired here.

—Arrivals at the Ocean House: Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Stevenson, Germantown, Penn.; C. W. Wisner, Warwick, N. Y.; F. A. Packard, J. F. Freeman, G. M. Mourard, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Nowell, Boston.

—Late arrivals at The Aquidneck: E. D. Scholey, Howard A. Scholey, C. N. Schenck, F. W. Vorch and wife, New York; G. F. Stone, J. A. Morse and wife, Boston; E. H. Wells, Boston; T. Broslean and wife, Montreal.

—The district court criminal docket this morning consisted of one case, against Keziah Manchester of Tiverton, who was accused of being a common drunkard. But the court did not agree with the officers, and discharged her.

—Torpedo boat Dupont, after having the remains of her old paint scraped off and her bottom sand-papered, received today a coating of an iron paint, different from any heretofore put on, and which is expected to adhere to the metal as the other paint has not. Over this black paint the anti-fouling paint approved by the government will be laid.

ALONG SHORE.

Fishing steamer Seven Brothers and sloop yacht Millie are hauled out at Crowyard. Alongside in the north cradle is torpedo boat Dupont, Herreshoff's latest and greatest effort in the steamboat line. The Seven Brothers is the first steamer built by the Herreshoffs. She was built in 1869, and was a greater curiosity in her class than is a thirty-knot boat now, among fast vessels. The Seven Brothers and the Dupont, the first and the latest, present a big contrast, and represent two ends of a very active business life.

The Sylvan Shore will be hauled out today to have her broken shaft removed. Fishing steamer Fearless will also haul out.

Mr. Lippitt's sloop yacht Wasp is having a new mast made at Crowley's yard. A handsome piece of Oregon pine was secured for the new stick.

Three of the new Yale half-raters, the Geisha, Yeh and Trio, have arrived here from New Haven, in tow of a catboat.

TO PROMOTE A NEW SCIENCE.

The Journal of Osteopathy is a magazine devoted to the science of healing without drugs. It is published in Kirksville, Mo., and contains about sixty pages devoted to the new science and its promoters. Among the leading articles of the current issue are "Trials of Pioneer Discoverers," by John R. Musick; "The Growth of Osteopathy," by A. L. Conger; "The Healing Potencies of Osteopathy," by Mason W. Pressly; "The Three Essentials," by William Smith, M. D., D. O.; "Women in Osteopathy," by Mrs. H. E. Patterson, D. O.; "A Brilliant Legislative Victory," in which is recounted the efforts which were made in North Dakota to legalize the practice of osteopathy in that state; "Discoveries in Osteopathy," "The Scope and Spirit of Osteopathy," and other kindred articles.

Harper's Weekly during July will contain the first instalments of the timely serial of the Greek war of independence, entitled "The Vintage," by E. F. Benson, author of "Dodo;" a description of the queen's jubilee, illustrated with elaborate drawings, and illustrated articles on "The Restoration of Independence Hall," "The Christian Endeavor Convention in San Francisco," "The Botanical Gardens of New York," and "The Third-Rail Electric System."

The Portsmouth, N. H., board of trade has been notified by Secretary of the Navy John D. Long that the North Atlantic squadron will visit that place August 16. An effort will be made to have the date changed to August 20.

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One Burner Oil Stove	$ .50
Two Burner Oil Stove	1.00
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MEXICAN NEWS.

Discovery of a Simple and Safe Remedy Which Produces Sleep.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 9.—Efforts on the part of physicians in charge of the insane hospital for women to discover some safe narcotic which should produce sleep have resulted in bringing into daily use in that institution a simple remedy prepared from the seed of white seapote. It produces a tranquil sleep, and since it has been used no deaths from cerebral congestion have been known at the institution.

Dr. Glover, representing the business house of Bleichroder, in an interview here takes a very favorable view of the future of Mexican finance and credit. He has prepared a voluminous work on the subject. His house has been active in negotiating in the past the gold loans placed in Europe.

Some questions have arisen in regard to the organization of the new bank of the state of Mexico, for which a part of the capital was subscribed for here and the other part was solicited in London. It is charged that in important particulars of the prospectus issued in London there is some discrepancy from the one used here. It was said today, however, that some arrangement would be effected whereby the bank would be organized and everything made right.

TROUBLE FEARED.

Oregon Herders Disarmed and Their Sheep Shot by Masked Men.

HEPNER, Ore., July 9.—News has reached here of the killing of one hundred and fifty head of sheep belonging to Mrs. Kate Welch on Canyon creek, about fifteen miles from Canyon City. Six men wearing masks first went to the camp, and covering the herder and camp tender with their rifles ordered them to give up their guns, which they did. They took the rifles of the camp tender and after shooting the loads out of the herder's gun handed it back. They then emptied their guns into the herd of sheep, which was camped for the night. Sheep owners who live here are expecting serious trouble.

STRIKE SITUATION IN ILLINOIS.

Many Miners Out, But Many More Still at Work.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 9.—The miners' strike situation in Illinois is as follows: All the miners in the Wilmington district, three thousand in number, are out. In the Springfield district most of the men are working. In the Peoria district they are still working but will meet today. The miners at Staunton and Mount Olive have given assurance that those at Belville would strike, but the Belville men at their meeting decided to go to work. At Carlinville there is no strike. Virden and Auburn miners struck weeks ago. The miners at Assumption are out, but at Pana and Taylorville they are working. At Westville, Vermillion county, the men are out, but they are at work at Danville.

MRS. LEASE AGAINST BRYAN.

Not Silver, But Socialism, the Political Hope of the Country.

CARTHAGE, Mo., July 9.—Mrs. Mary E. Lease, who is here as a lecturer at the Chautauqua assembly, said in an interview today: "The silver question is an issue of the past, and will never again serve as the leading issue for the reform elements of politics. If Mr. Bryan is going to make the silver question the dominant issue in the next campaign, there is one woman who is against him. Socialism is the hope of the country, and in the next campaign the fight will be made for industrial emancipation of the people."

Seventeen Thousand Endeavorers Passed Through Salt Lake.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 9.—The Christian Endeavor west-bound movement is practically over. During the period from July 1 to 7 the Rio Grande Western road handled seventy-one trains, carrying 17,232 passengers from Grand Junction to Ogden. The greater percentage of these passengers stopped over in Salt Lake City, thus requiring a second movement, or the handling of a total of nearly 35,000 passengers.

All But the Baby Killed by Lightning.

LARIMORE, N. D., July 9.—During the severe storm last night the residence of S. H. North, four miles east of here, was struck by lightning, and North, his wife and three-year-old child were killed. The only member of the family that escaped was a 15 months old baby.

Eight Additional Charges of Embezzlement.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—O. M. Welborne, the deposed collector of internal revenue for this district, has been arrested upon eight additional charges of embezzlement, at the instance of Special Agent Thrasher. The sums alleged to have been embezzled are small, ranging from $10 to $100.

PREPARING FOR THE SUMMER MANOEUVRES.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Herald says: Preparations are being made at the Navy Department for putting in effect the program of manoeuvres recently perfected. Orders have been issued to battleship Iowa, directing her to proceed from League island, Penn., to Newport, where she will receive her torpedo tubes and torpedoes. It is expected at the department that the battleship will leave League island not later than July 13. En route she will test her turrets and guns.

The department also contemplates the retention of this vessel at Newport until she is joined by the other vessels of the North Atlantic squadron. Just as soon as Rear Admiral Sicard returns from his present practice cruise, and before August 1, he will be directed to proceed to this city, which is to be made the rendezvous of the ships. He is authorized to collect his vessels as frequently as possible consistent with the proper instruction of the naval militia, and to conduct manoeuvres, but on account of interruptions it is expected that little will be done before August.

The squadron for manoeuvres will probably confine its operations to the New England coast. It will not co-operate with the Naval War College.

Cruiser Brooklyn will be assigned to the North Atlantic squadron upon her return to New York from England, and will join the Iowa here. The exercises will be confined to a great extent to the Iowa, Brooklyn, Indiana, Massachusetts, Texas, Maine and New York.

The Navy Department has been informed that torpedo boat Rodgers, built by the Columbian iron works, is ready for trial. Orders will be issued by the department to the board of inspection and survey in a day or so directing that organization to test the vessel for preliminary acceptance. As in the case of the Foote, the Rodgers will be tried in Chesapeake bay. Just as soon as these two vessels are placed in commission they will join the Ericsson, Porter and Cushing at Newport, where the five vessels, under the command of Lieutenant Commander W. W. Kimball, will conduct the manoeuvres recently ordered.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS.

Those of us who belong to clubs and societies—and what woman does not nowadays?—are often struck with the remarkable waste of time in the meetings of women's boards and committees. It is not that the members are generally unpunctual—one or two unbusinesslike members, of course, can always be counted on to arrive from ten minutes to half an hour late; but as the meeting commences without them they are the only ones that lose the time. No, the waste is in the number of hours spent in doing what might be thoroughly and completely done in half an hour if only irrelevant suggestions, tedious discussions and useless business were ruled out. Why is it necessary for a committee meeting once a month, and having several sub-committees, to spend an entire morning from 10 to 1 o'clock discussing not only what has been done, but also, with infinite particularity, what might be done, what had better not be done, and what other clubs in other circumstances find it wise to do? This is not a fancy picture. How often one hears the familiar dialogue between two women:

"You did not get to the meeting this morning."

"No. I knew it would take the whole morning, from breakfast to lunch, and I could not spare three hours of the best part of my day. If it had been one hour long but three, I just couldn't do it! What did you do?"

"Oh, about the same thing as usual. We heard committee reports, and the regular order of business, and—well, then Mrs. H—— talked about new members (what she always says, you know), and we had a discussion as to when the dues ought to be paid each year."

"Why, we discussed that in joint session two months ago, and I did think it was settled!"

"Yes. But we had it all over again this morning. And then the old subject, the rentals of the assembly room, took up the rest of the time."

"That! Why, it was referred to the committee on rentals, with power to act, long ago!"

"It was all re-opened this morning, anyway."

"What did the board decide?"

"Oh, they referred it back again to the committee on rentals, after all."

And so it goes. We spend precious time wastefully, lay ourselves open to criticism, and accomplish no more—nay, not as much as an hour of concentrated, clear, direct attention to business would effect.

It is all very well to say that Congress, where there are no women, does very much the same sort of thing. It is each Congressman's daily work, to which he must make all other occupation subservient; and, besides, since women claim superiority, why not make a beautiful object lesson right here in a field open to us all?—[Harper's Bazar.

THE CARE OF FOOTWEAR.

A stern moralist who wished to reform the world once said in my hearing that each generation had to be taught all the virtues, as if no one before had ever been taught to be good. When I look at the condition of the shoes of many otherwise well-dressed women I am tempted to believe that a pamphlet on the use and abuse of leather should be presented with every pair of shoes sold. Even then it is a question whether the matter would end.

Even women who are most fastidious about the shoes of the men of their family are most indifferent about the looks of their own—often never polishing or cleaning them from week's end to week's end. Many a well-gowned woman thus spoils the effect she intends to convey.

Women of even moderate means should always have at least one change of shoes. Shoes last longer and keep their shape and freshness better when not constantly worn. A pair of boots kept especially for rainy or damp weather will be found a wise investment, as no fine or new shoes should be subjected to the indignity of rubbers. The rainy-day boots should be heavy, and should lace or button very trimly about the ankle. If of stout material, with cork soles, they will wear for years, and rubbers may be dispensed with, except in the very stormiest weather—thus doing away with a great bugbear.

Very few of us can afford boot trees such as our wealthy cousins affect, nor should I care to fill my shoes with oats or bran, as some enthusiasts advise. The toes of every pair of shoes, however, should be stuffed with cotton before they are worn at all. Thus the ugly break across the toe is avoided.

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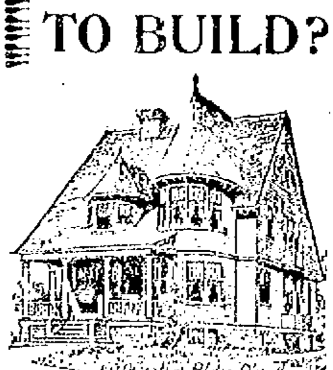
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The idea for the device was born under decidedly romantic circumstances. Herbert Pattee, the young inventor, has turned his natural talent in that direction to perfecting, from time to time, a number of ingenious contrivances. His profession, however, is that of an actor, and he has been a member of a number of well-known companies. As every one connected with the stage knows, a follower of theatrical life has much leisure while sojourning in strange cities or upon railroad trains. During such idle moments the invention was conceived and perfected. The idea first came to Mr. Pattee while traveling across the Texas prairies about two years ago, and his first diagram was drawn with a silver dollar on a page of his notebook. Since then constant labor has developed the first crude design into an invention perfected in every detail.

The device consists of a gigantic wheel two hundred feet in height, and with a steel frame composed of a network of braces. Its structural detail and the towers which support it look not unlike the Ferris wheel. The great difference is that, instead of having cars suspended between the two outer rims or the periphery of the wheel, this space is enclosed and laid with stout flooring, giving the whole the appearance of a gigantic bicycle wheel with a broad, flat tire. Upon this floor and inside the wheel is a great trough with sides rising three feet above the bottom, and in this trough are laid stout steel tracks. Cars rest upon these tracks, and the object of the invention is to cause these vehicles, filled with people, to be carried up a certain distance into the air by the wheel, then shot down the incline with the speed of the wind and up the other side by the force of the momentum.

The wheel Mr. Pattee has designed has two tracks around the inside of its rim, each fitting into a separate trough of its own. The cars are about six feet wide, fifteen feet long and eight feet high. The seats, which run from side to side, are surrounded by a barrier reaching up to the passengers' shoulders when seated. Above this extends a canopied roof, with the sides fitted with wire screens, so that the whole forms an enclosed pavilion.

Imagine the sensations of the people entering the cars upon such a pleasure trip. The wheel begins to revolve from left to right and the car is carried up about seventy feet, to a point one-third the distance from the bottom to the top of the wheel. The car is gripped to the tracks with lateral arms, spreading out on either side and clamping themselves tightly to the tracks and trough by the turning of a lever in the hands of a motorman. When the cars have reached the height of seventy feet the motorman releases the lateral arms and the vehicle shoots down the incline at a terrific rate of speed and up the other side, the wheel stopping during the descent. There is a pond of water in the inside troughs which flows around at the lowest level it can find and is consequently always at the bottom of the wheel. As the boat-like vehicle descends it dashes through this water, reproducing the sensation experienced in "shooting the chutes" and surrounding the people with a shower of spray, which does not wet them, because it is hurled away from the car. At night, when the wheel is surrounded by thousands of colored electric lights, the effect of this many tinted spray will be most effective.

The impetus of the car is very great when it finishes the descent, and even though splashing through the pond breaks its force, the vehicle is still able to dash up the opposite curve of the wheel for a distance of about forty feet, where it is again automatically clasped to the tracks. The wheel then begins to revolve again and the car is carried down and up to a place corresponding with its first starting point. The people ride backward up this incline, thus experiencing a most remarkable sensation. When drawn up for a distance of about seventy feet the car is again released, and makes its second shoot. A third return to this height and another sliding backward completes the journey. During the shooting the car has covered just one-third of the circumference of the wheel. As the structure stops during each coasting process, the wheel has, therefore, made one complete revolution and the excursionists alight at exactly the same place that the start was made.

This is the invention in its simplest form, but the journey will have the added novelty of a most sensational tunnel experience, unlike anything of its kind thus far invented. The tunnel will be built on the tracks on the inside of the wheel, extending about half-way around, or three hundred of the six hundred feet total circumference. Its two entrances, or mouths, will be modelled to represent the open jaws of dragons. The interior will be intensely dark, with hundreds of little stars glimmering all about and apparently far beneath the towers, the roofs and gables and many lighted windows of a great city, giving the whole the effect of a bespangled midnight sky, through which the voyagers are speeding in a twentieth century airship. As the tunnel's roof will curve sharply, following the outlines of the rim of the wheel, the voyagers, while in the tunnel, will be able to see only a few feet to the front or rear, further vision being cut off by the sloping roof and floor. Thus the effect of mystery will be greatly enhanced.

The first shooting of the car will be on that part of the wheel uncovered by the tunnel, and the vehicle stops close to one of the dragon-like entrances. This follows them around as the car is drawn back for the second shoot, and when the downward trip is again begun they dash directly into the dragon's mouth. The end of this shoot leaves the car a short distance beyond the middle of the tunnel. In that position it is drawn back for the third trip, which carries the car out into the open air again through the dragon's mouth opposite the point of entrance, so that the journey terminates exactly where it began.—[New York Herald.

THE RIGHT TO NOMINATE.

The right to nominate a candidate for office belongs to every citizen as clearly and as essentially as does the right to determine which candidate he will vote for at the election. It is recognized by the law. Every citizen may, if he chooses, nominate his own candidate at every election, and write his name upon the official ballot. Certain specified numbers of citizens may by way of petition demand the printing upon the official ballots of the names of candidates nominated by themselves. In doing so they encroach upon nobody else's rights. They simply exercise their own. In truth, they use this method for the very purpose, not of encroaching upon the rights of others, but of resisting attempted encroachments upon their own rights. It is a notorious fact that combinations of politicians inside of our political parties, commonly called "the machines," have managed by way of organized cooperation to get and to keep control of the nominating caucuses and conventions, and thus to dictate the nominations according to their liking. In some instances, notably in the Republican party in New York, that control has passed into the hands of one man. In this way nominations are brought about which very frequently are not in accord with the sentiments of the majority of the party, and in the making of which that majority has really no voice. That "the machine," or the boss ruling it, will ordinarily nominate as candidates who cannot be counted upon, if elected, to serve their selfish ends, and that thus the general interest is very often shamelessly sacrificed to those selfish ends, is a matter too notorious to need elaborate proof. It may be said without exaggeration that his perversion of the nominating machinery of our political parties is one of the most baneful evils of our political life. It tends to exclude men of high public spirit and of genuine self-respect from places of power and responsibility, and to drive them away from active participation in public affairs altogether. It impairs the value of the elective franchise by frequently limiting the choice of citizens between the candidates of the different parties to a choice between evils. Thus it most seriously impairs the working of our free institutions based upon universal suffrage.

A reform of the nominating process, which will bring the nomination of candidates effectually under the control of public opinion, is one of the most important and, it seems, one of the most difficult problems before us. Various methods have been suggested which, although not lacking ingenuity, fail to accomplish the essential object—namely, to place the nominating machinery securely beyond the grasp of a well-drilled and disciplined organization of unscrupulous politicians. The method adopted by the Citizens' Union, which consists in asking every citizen for his opinion as to whether he wishes a certain other citizen to be nominated as a candidate, appears to be the simplest, the most straightforward and the most democratic. That it is the most perfect method for general introduction nobody will pretend. However, it admirably fits the situation of things in Greater New York.—[Carl Schurz, in Harper's Weekly.

GAMBLING FOR BIBLES.

Recently, in accordance with the annual custom, there occurred at the ancient town of St. Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, a ceremony which, if not absolutely unique, is as curious a relic of ancient times as may be found in a march of many days. On first thought it seems that the sight of six little boys and six little girls dicing in a parish church to win a prize of a Bible must be unique, both in the past and in the present. It is certainly unique enough at present; but for the satisfaction of historical accuracy it must be said that, connected with the Church of St. Lawrence, at Reading, there existed at one time a dicing ceremony for the encouragement of good maidservants. But the rattle of the dice has so long ceased at Reading that St. Ives can claim to stand alone in the present. The queer old custom started in this way: As far back as the year 1675 a bequest of £50, invested in land, was made by an eccentric Dr. Robert Wild of Oundle, Northamptonshire, for the purpose of distributing six Bibles yearly among twelve children. It was stipulated that six boys and six girls should cast dice for the Bibles during divine service every Whitsun Tuesday morning. When the custom was first carried out in 1693 the dice were rattled on the altar. This was done for many years; but about half a century ago the incongruity of the thing was too much for the reigning vicar, and during his time and ever since the throwing has been done on an ordinary table, placed in the centre aisle.

Briefly, this is how the ceremony is performed nowadays: At about 9 o'clock in the morning the vicar or his curate appears with the church wardens in the centre aisle. Some ordinary little table is procured from a neighboring cottage; then in file six nice little boys and six nice little girls, who take up positions near the table. The signal is given, and three boys begin competing with three boys, and then half the girls compete with the other half in like manner. Each competitor throws the dice three times, and the church wardens keep the counts. The unsuccessful six then go on trying until they win, and although one might become a very old "boy" or "girl" before that happened, fortune is never known to have frowned on any of the dicers for longer than five years. The successful six, who are presented, according to the price stipulated, with seven-shilling Bibles, strongly bound in leather, are expected to attend divine service in the evening, when the vicar, of course, improves the occasion. Near the church is situated a patch of land still known as "Bible Orchard." The Church of All Saints, in which the ceremony takes place, is an interesting structure, and contains a great quantity of Norman work, the original building having been erected by the abbots of Ramsey, who also constructed the ancient bridge which still crosses the sluggish bosom of the Ouse.—[St. James's Budget.

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10:20 "	11:35 "
1:15 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
2:30 "	3:10 "
3:40 "	4:10 "
4:45 "	5:00 "
6:20 "	7:00 "
*8:35 "	*9:30 "
SUNDAYS.	
11:15 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
2:20 P. M.	3:00 "
4:30 "	5:00 "
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Providence, arr.,	8 50	11 50	3 18	5 55	9 51	....
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New York, "	1 50	4 30	6 57	11 00	B	6 55
	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	A M

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Boston,	12 00	....	10 00	1 00	3 45	7 00
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Yesterday's Games.

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At Fall River—Fall River, 10; Brockton, 3.
At Taunton—New Bedford, 11; Taunton, 5.

New England League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Percent.
Newport	32	18	1	.6?5
Brockton	33	20	1	.623
Pawtucket	30	24	2	.556
New Bedford	24	31	0	.436
Taunton	20	35	0	.361
Fall River	15	25	0	.333

Today's Games.

Newport at New Bedford, Pawtucket at Brockton, Fall River at Taunton.

Newport, 4; Pawtucket, 2.

The Pawtuckets came here yesterday determined to win a ball from the home team, not because they wanted to down Newport but because they wanted to get closer to Brockton. They put their left-hander, Todd, in the box, and played a stiff game, but for the second time this week Gallagher was too much for them, and in the shortest game of the season the Newports added another victory to their long string.

It was a pretty game to watch, and so rapidly di the plays progress that the spectators did not realize the time was passing so quickly. In twenty-eight out of the seventy-three times that batsmen faced the pitcher, the first ball was hit out. There was not a strike-out in the game, and but one base on balls. There were six good double plays, five of them by the visitors, which spoiled apparently excellent chances for scoring, and spoiled them quickly. A feature of these double plays was Stouch, who had eight chances in these five plays, and all were accepted cleanly. When the Newport infielders had a chance they showed that they also could make double plays. The only trouble was that the visitors did not get on bases often enough to give good chances.

Both sides played fast in the field, but the home team rather excelled in making difficult plays and cutting off base hits. They also succeeded in playing the game without an error of any kind, a thing the club seldom does, for unlike some others the players are playing for the game and not for their records, and make errors where others make no effort. Bean showed his superiority to any other shortstop, and Mills got into plays with his usual ease. Gallagher showed he knew how to field his position, and could do it, and Todd closely followed his example.

Newport won out by bunching three hits with an error and an infield putout in the eighth inning, and the Pawtuckets went home murmuring "Luck."

It will be noticed that on Freebody Park, where the fielders have a chance to get about and catch the ball, the Pawtuckets have never done any of their celebrated batting, and yesterday's work was different from what it might have been on the peculiar grounds in Pawtucket. The score:

NEWPORT.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Gilbert, c. f.	5	1	3	0	0	0
Bean, s. s.	5	1	2	1	8	0
Kelley, 1b.	4	1	0	17	0	0
Pickett, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Mills, 2b.	4	0	3	1	6	0
Crisham, c.	3	0	2	1	0	0
Grant, r. f.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Dinsmore, 3b.	4	0	1	2	1	0
Gallagher, p.	4	1	1	1	4	0
	37	4	12	27	19	0

PAWTUCKET.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Weidecker, l. f.	4	0	2	2	0	0
Beaumont, 1b.	3	0	0	9	0	1
Smith, r. f.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Whiting, c. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Stouch, 2b.	4	0	0	6	5	0
Buckley, c.	4	1	3	0	0	1
Coughlin, 3b.	4	0	1	3	3	1
Moss, s. s.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Todd, p.	3	0	0	2	1	0
	34	2	9	27	11	4

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Newport	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0		—4
Pawtucket	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		—2

Earned runs—Pawtucket, 2. Two-base hits—Whiting, Buckley 2. Sacrifice hit—Beaumont. Stolen bases—Gilbert 2, Gallagher, Buckley. Bases on balls—By Todd Crisham. Left on bases—Newport, 5; Pawtucket, 6. Double plays—Mills-Bean-Kelley; Smith-Stouch, Todd-Stouch-Moss-Beaumont, Stouch-Beaumont, Moss-Stouch-Beaumont, Coughlin-Stouch-Beaumont. Time—1 hour 15 minutes. Umpire—Hunt.

New Bedford, 11; Taunton, 5.

Wiethoff was wild and ineffectual at critical times yesterday, and Taunton, after getting a lead of five runs, was beaten out by the New Bedfords. The features were the batting of Hernon for New Bedford, the fielding of Moore and the batting of Simon for Taunton. Fitzmaurice also made several fine catches in centre field. Davis played his first game with Taunton, and did well. Attendance, 300.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
New Bedford	0	0	5	0	3	0	2	1	x	—11
Taunton	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—5

Hits—New Bedford, 15; Taunton, 12. Errors—New Bedford, 3; Taunton, 3. Earned runs—New Bedford, 5; Taunton, 3. Two-base hits—Shortla, Teske, Johnson, Wiethoff, Simon 2. Left on bases—New Bedford, 8; Taunton, 7. Double play—Day-Lyle. First base on balls—By Day, Moore. Struck out—By Day, Davis; by Wiethoff, Sexton. Passed ball—Starkope. Wild pitches—Wiethoff, 2. First base on errors—New Bedford, 3; Taunton, 2. Umpire—Burns. Time—1h. 55.

Fall River, 10; Brockton, 3.

The Brocktons were easily defeated yesterday afternoon in a good contest. Miller pitched his first game for Fall River, and, though a trifle wild in the first inning, settled down and pitched a magnificent game. For eight innings he held the heavy-hitting Brocktons down to two hits. His support was gilt-edged, the fielding of Schreeongost, Joe Connor and Ladd being fine. Hill batted well for Fall River. Attendance, 600.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fall River	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	—10
Brockton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3

Hits—Fall River, 10; Brockton, 5. Errors—Fall River, 2; Brockton, 6. Earned runs—Fall River, 1; Brockton, 1. Two-base hit—Miller. Three-base hit—Sheckard. Stolen bases—Hill, Kuhns, McManus, Sheckard. Double play—J. Connor-Ladd-R. Connor. First base on balls—By Miller—Nadeau, Henry, Tighe; by Coughlin—Hill, R. Connor 2. Struck out—By Miller—Beckman, Cavanaugh 2; by Coughlin—Doe, Miller, McManus 2. Left on bases—Fall River, 5; Brockton, 3. First base on errors—Fall River, 3; Brockton, 1. Umpire—Connelly. Time—1h. 55m.

Notes.

Tonight Newport will have played just half of the season's games, and will be in the lead by a small margin. The season is already past its centre, as there are some postponed games, some of which will probably not be played, and some of which will be used to jockey with if the leaders come down to the finish close.

Fall River has had its shake-up, and it appears to have done the team good, for it beat Brockton yesterday.

Other teams continue to strengthen, but they don't appear to make any more impression on Newport than before strengthening.

The attendance this week has been excellent, in spite of the big crowd Monday, and it looks as though the association will have a good dividend. Newport is the strong drawing card in other cities, and is probably receiving more away from home than any other club. The people elsewhere know they will see a good, clean game when the Newports play.

The Brockton management has secured Sharrott, right fielder of the Bangor team.

The indications are that the latest overhauling of the Fall River club will materially improve the work of the team. Schreongost will be kept as the regular catcher and McManus will go to right field. Miller, the new pitcher, did well in yesterday's game, and promises to strengthen the pitching staff.

Fred Doe has retired from the club on account of the poor health of himself and wife. His place at second will be taken by Gilbert of the Pawtuckets, who has been playing in Lewiston. Reilly is on the sick list, and Joe Connor will play short, Kuhns having got back into the game, though his finger is still in bad shape.

National League games yesterday—Brooklyn, 1; St. Louis, 0. Chicago, 2; Boston, 1. Louisville, 7; Baltimore, 3. New York, 5; Pittsburg, 4. Cincinnati, 6; Philadelphia, 3. Cleveland, 10; Washington, 5.

Eastern League games—Rochester, 10, Providence, 5. Springfield, 11; Syracuse, 1. Toronto, 5; Scranton, 2. Buffalo, 3; Wilkesbarre, 1.

MUSIC IN NEWPORT.

The attendance at Mr. Mason's recitals, just finished, and the success of two musical organizations last spring, bear witness to the fact that Newport is not so devoid of music-lovers as some circumstances in its previous history would seem to imply. The high degree of excellence attained by the members of the Philharmonic in the choral numbers at their public rehearsals shows what good training can do, and proves that, when properly led, there is enough musical talent in the city to undertake and creditably present even more exacting works than the one given.

Choral performances, however, require time and labor in their preparation, and orchestral entertainments seem out of the question. The organ recital, then, appears to be the readiest means of furnishing the public an evening's enjoyment of good music. Two years ago Mr. Girard gave a very acceptable series of organ recitals in St. John's Church. The attendance was fair, but had the performance been given in a building nearer the heart of the city the audience would unquestionably have been greater, for the selections were judicious, and the skill of the performer undoubted.

It is true that organ recitals are not always well attended. There seems to be an impression in the minds of the public that organists always play Bach, and that Bach is only endurable as a prelude to some lively variations by a more modern and less classical composer—a sort of sop to a musical Cerberus. Perhaps it was in deference to this opinion that Mr. Mason in his recitals did not play Bach, nor, indeed, but few composers who could be called classical. We were grateful for Beethoven, Chopin and Wagner, and the audience enjoyed some of the other numbers, to judge by their applause. Wisdom is justified by her children. Mr. Mason has considerable skill and dexterity in organ playing, and the selections presumably represented his judgment of the popular taste and a knowledge of his own abilities.

Nevertheless, it is certain that organ music, to be enjoyable, need not consist of adaptations of pianoforte and operatic compositions, still less of popular airs. Even without Bach there are numerous organ composers, ancient and modern, whose productions are well worth hearing, but their names are not Nevin, Wely, nor even Batiste and Dudley Buck.

Technique is not the alpha and omega of organ playing. It is, of course, indispensable, but good taste, feeling, jollity and effective registration are none the less needful. Fortunately there are several organists among us who are probably competent to give us organ recitals in which thoroughly good compositions shall be faithfully rendered, with skill in the manual and pedal work, and a satisfactory registration. Why will not Mr. Langley or Mr. Hill undertake such a work? It can scarcely be doubted that the recitals would be well patronized.

If vocal or instrumental assistance be desired, there are a number of singers and performers, resident in the city, from whom enjoyable work might be expected. Miss Stanhope is unquestionably able to render well any composition which she would be willing to undertake, and Mrs. Spooner, Miss Cutley, Miss Gosling, Miss Murtland and Mr. Swan have all had experience in public singing.

In the matter of violin playing Miss Chase would be a welcome addition to any recital. Miss Chase's playing at Mr. Mason's second recital came as a pleasurable surprise to those who had not heard her in private. Her technique is not perfect, and occasionally she has a jerky way of bowing which is not pleasant. But her notes are never harsh and scratchy, and she plays with such a clearness of tone, such balanced phrasing, and such a depth of feeling that one forgets the readily corrigible faults of technique. Regarding her playing at the recital, it must be said that Miss Chase should not be held responsible for the discord noticeable in her two numbers, for the reeds of the organ were out of tune, and the organist's registration did not tend to improve matters.

With such local talent as Newport now has, there would seem to be no reason why next season may not be, musically, even more enjoyable than the past one has been. If the Philharmonic Society is true to its promise, we shall certainly hear some good choral music.

RICHARD BLISS.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mrs. E. F. Rook and Mrs. W. R. Travers entertained at luncheon yesterday.

—Mrs. Arthur Rogers of Salem, Mass., has arrived at 22 Bull street, for the season.

—Mr. H. F. Krafft, formerly of this city, has opened a coaching school at Babylon, Long Island.

—Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Jr., Mr. Gordon McKay and Mrs. William Grosvenor entertained at dinner last night.

—The Newport Journal and Weekly News is issued today.

—Mr. John Norris of Dixon street says he was not the man fined for an assault.

—Mrs. G. P. Wetmore and the Misses Wetmore have sailed for Europe. They will spend the month of August at Hamburg.

—The Newport branch of the Medical Missionary Society met at the residence of Mrs. Joseph P. Cotton, on Park street, yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. N. W. Eayrs of St. Louis and family and Miss Louise K. Coggeshall are guests of Hon. and Mrs. Thomas Coggeshall on Kay street.

—The following are at the Kay Street House: Charles P. Phillips and wife, Providence; Miss L. Paton, Cambridge, Mass.; D. Elliot, Brooklyn.

—The illumination of the grounds and piazzas on concert nights at the Casino is pleasingly commented upon, and the officials have been congratulated for their enterprise.

—Arrivals at the Perry House include W. H. Emerson, Boston; Frank Brown, J. L. Davis, Salem; G. W. Larkham, Providence; G. W. Brown, R. L. McCorkell, New York.

—Among today's arrivals at The New New Cliffs are Miss Celestine Eustis, Washington; Miss Lydia Eustis, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., Dr. William Kirkus, Orange, N. J.

—Governor Dyer has issued invitations to attend the review of the brigade of Rhode Island Militia by His Excellency, the Governor, at the state camp at Quonset Point, Friday afternoon, July 16. A steamer will leave here for the camp grounds on the day of the review at 11:30, leaving the point for the return to Newport at 7 p. m.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

At the regular meeting of the Daughters of Rebekah, Mr. Charles I. Coggeshall was presented with a handsome district deputy grand master's jewel. The presentation speech was made by the noble grand, Mrs. Emerson A. Bishop, and was pleasing in both matter and manner.

Mr. Garfield Lorimer is guest of Mr. Eugene B. Peckham.

Miss Eleanora Thompson, who has been guest of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Brayton for several days, went to her home in Dartmouth, Mass., Wednesday.

Mrs. George Harkness and Mrs. John Sanford of Providence have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Sherman.

A warrant has been issued calling a town meeting for Tuesday, July 13, at 1 o'clock, to see what action the town will take in regard to building a new road from the Middletown line to the Stone Bridge. Hon. E. G. Harrison, the United States special agent, will be at Eureka hall, Portsmouth, Saturday evening, and at Oakland hall, South Portsmouth, Monday evening, to give information regarding the aid which the national government offers to the town in the construction of a sample road. The meetings will be open to the public, and a number of speakers are expected to make addresses.

Horseless carriages, being comparatively new vehicles, are not often to be seen in the country, but Thursday afternoon one was seen in the yard at Mr. Hugh K. Norman's Valley farm.

Miss Fannie I. Sherman has been confined at home with a sprained ankle.

The fine of $20 imposed upon Frank P. Sherman, for failure to appear at the common pleas court Tuesday to serve as juror, was, on account of mitigating circumstances, remitted by Judge Douglas Thursday.

Miss Kate B. Fish was one of the number attending the Epworth League convention in Providence Wednesday.

MAY NOT HAVE BEEN SUICIDE.

The police have learned that the young colored man who died at the Station Wednesday was named William Harrison, that he has a brother in Orange, N. J., and that his father lives in Gaston, N. C. The relatives were notified, and the father has telegraphed to have the remains sent to his home.

Medical Examiner Stewart is in doubt as to the cause of death. It was at first supposed that carbolic acid and suicide were the terms that fitted the case, but a careful examination failed to show traces of acid, and the mouth was not burned as it must have been if acid had been swallowed. It seems more likely therefore that some heart trouble was the cause of death, and that it might have been so severe that the deceased tried to obtain poison to terminate his suffering.

REAGAN VERSUS FOLLEYS TODAY.

The common pleas division of the supreme court was occupied this morning with the trial of the case of John T. Reagan vs. Charles G. Folleys, Messrs. Honey and Nolan appearing for plaintiff and Colonel Sheffield for defendant. Judge Douglas presided, and Foreman Dennis occupied his accustomed seat with the jury. It is an action of cross accounts, with numerous items on the one side or the other, but defendant claims a balance of $1,000 or $5,000 in his favor. He was on the stand most of the session, being the only witness this morning, and Mr. Honey had not completed his cross-examination (although it had lasted some hours) when the court's quick ear detecting the incoming of the 1 o'clock train, the usual recess to 2 p. m. was immediately ordered. And then they set the courtroom clock. The case is likely to occupy the rest of the day. It was also tried last January.

PAYMASTER CORWINE'S SENTENCE REMITTED.

President McKinley has accepted the recommendations of Secretary Long and Judge Advocate General Lemly in the case of Paymaster Corwine, and yesterday dismissed him from the naval service, remitting his sentence of imprisonment for two years. The remission was made not only upon the recommendation of the secretary and judge advocate general, but also upon the court-martial's expression that the case called for clemency in view of the officer's fine record.

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